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Adams Family

Adams Family Made Move To Build Model Of Careful Planning

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Six years ago, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Adams purchased a one-acre lot a short distance off of U.S. 41, across the road from Deerfield.

In June, 1969, they started to build their contemporary house there on the west side of a small lake. They moved from 2354 McKeen St., to their new home last June.

In the meantime, the property east of them — across the lake —was developed and two years ago houses were started there. There are now 12 houses in the subdivision called Lake View Estates.

Shortly after the Adamses purchased their property, the land was cleared, with all the lovely old trees left. After careful planning, the couple decided to build their home from plans in a 1958 issue of Better Homes and Gardens magazine. The house is called a "Northwester."

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The exterior walls of the house are of chanel rustic cedar stained driftwood grey, and the shed roof is of shake shingles. The house faces east overlooking the lake, and the entrance is on the south, off of the driveway. Outside the double wood doors of bright orange is a small Japanese garden with rocks, flowers and a Japanese stone lantern.

Here Jim and Dru Adams live with their two children, Jason, five years old and in kindergarten at Dixie Bee Elementary School, and Stacy three years old. They also have a pony, Trixie; two Norwegian Elkhound dogs, Lars and Black Jack; a cat, Blackie; a turtle and two gerbels. Occasionally, a frog is added to the family by the children.

The house has six rooms, a kitchen and utility room, three and a half baths and half basement.

All of the rooms have cathedral ceilings and all, except the living room and den, have off-white painted walls and ceilings. Side lights in the halls and family room are of black wrought iron. Floors in the entrance foyer, family room, downstairs hall and kitchen are of dark walnut parquet.

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Interior decorating was dong by Mrs. Adams, who studied the subject in home economics classes at Indiana State University, from where she was graduated. In the living areas, she chose yellow, green and black as her colors.

On one side of the 15x22-foot living-dining room, the ceiling reaches a height of 16½ feet. On this wall is a large abstract oil painting by Richard Emerick. Another oil painting by this artist is on another wall of the living room, and still another is in the master bedroom. A silk screen print is the other painting by David Ludwig on the wall in the foyer.

The ceiling of the living-dining room is painted bright kelly green to match the shag carpeting there. There are white sheer curtains, and drapes and cornices are of off-white antique satin with black fringe trim. There are indirect lights in the ceiling, and a large prism chandelier over the dining table.

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One end of this room is furnished with a contemporary sectional of walnut with zebra print upholstering, two bright yellow upholstered chairs, a walnut cabinet stereo and glass-topped end tables. At the other end of the room is a Parsons dining table with tortoise shell finish, high-backed Florentine chairs of antique white and an antique chest with marble top.

Both the foyer and kitchen lead into both the living-dining room and the family room on the east. All cabinets and appliances in the kitchen are in curry yellow, there is a curry yellow and greenish gold shag rug on the parquet floor, and the wallpaper is black and white vinyl in a large caning design.

The same kind of shag carpeting covers the floor of the family room, which has a black wrought iron railing on the balcony overlooking it on the high wall formed by the beamed cathedral ceiling. The east wall of this room is all of glass, with sliding doors, overlooking the lake. Over the glass wall is a yellow cornice with black tassel trim.

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There is a fireplace with semi-circle Spanish brick arch and hand-hewn beam hearth obtained from an 80-year-old barn. On the wall above the fireplace is hung a shag rug in red, orange and black.

Furniture in this room includes a black leather and walnut couch, chair and large stool, a television set, two large leopard print floor cushions, marble-topped end tables, round card table antiqued in brown with four Mexican chairs with rush seats, and an antique trunk. Over the card table is a black wrought iron chandelier with white glass globe.

Bright canvas chairs are on the deck outside this room. The Adamses have their own dock on the lake.

On the south of the family room is a half bath and utility room, a stairway leads up from the room, and there is a north hall leading to the den, master bedroom and adjoining bath, and a guest bathroom.

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Walls of the den are painted gold color and the carpet is gold, black and yellow tweed shag. There is a hide-a-bed couch in the same colors, a black leather and walnut chair and an antique chest in this room. One entire wall, overlooking the lake, is of glass with doors leading to an outside deck, and another wall is of built-in closets. There is a large zebra skin on another wall, and a loft with a ladder leading to it is to be built in an inset high on the other wall. Adams plans to use this as an office with his desk and chair there.

The guest bath is in blue and avocado with avocado fixtures and an antique white cabinet washstand with marble top. Opposite this bath is another glass wall with glass doors leading to a deck on the outside.

Magenta shag carpeting covers the floor of the master bedroom and adjoining bath. The quilted bedspread and matching drapes are of a large floral print with magenta predominating. There are white sheer curtains. By the bed is a modern drop light with mobile trim. There is a tangerine antiqued chair with black and white checked seat, and modern walnut furniture.

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The adjoining bath has a gold vinyl wall covering and gold colored fixtures with marble-topped dressing table.

The stairs, upstairs halls and both of the upstairs bedrooms of the children are covered with orange shag carpeting. Windows in these bedrooms are very high and triangle-shaped, conforming with the cathedral ceilings. Jason's room has burnt orange shelves, bed and antique school desks, and a Williamsburg blue chest. A tree house is built high in one wall, with a rope ladder leading to it.

Stacy's bedroom has yellow and white furniture. The upstairs bath for the children has white fixtures, with two low wash basins, a green tile floor and a modern design in bright colors painted on the white walls.

Later there will be a game room in the partial basement under the house. Adams plans to cover the walls and ceiling of this rathskeller with barn siding.

Adams, a graduate of General Motors Institute, Flint, Mich., is a vice president of the Mortgage Loan Department of J. B. Pfister Co., Inc.

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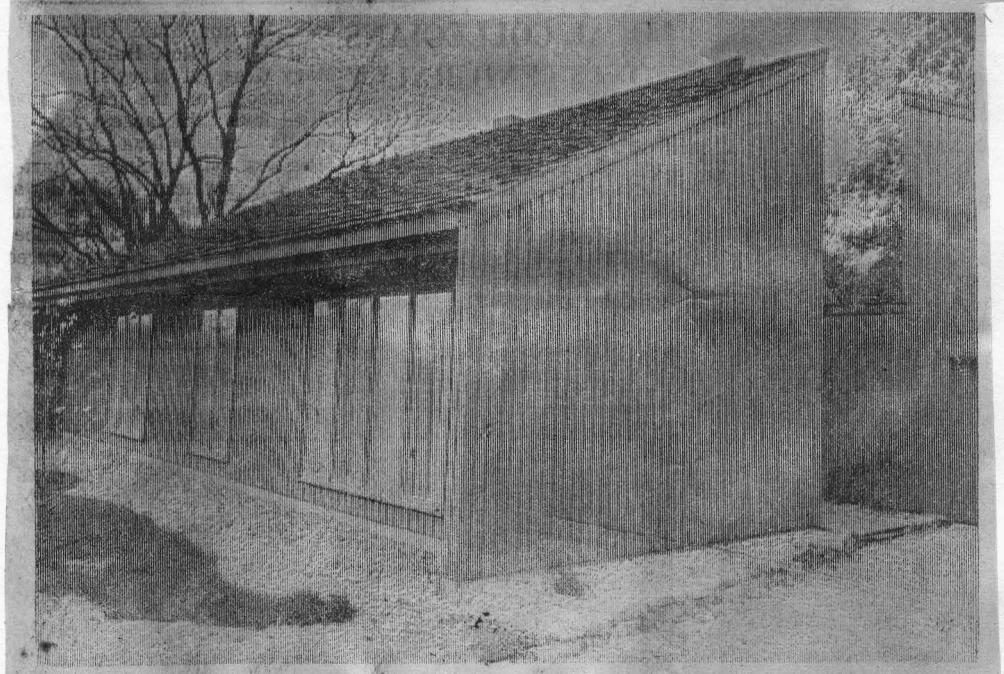

ADAMS CONTEMPORARY HOUSE—Mr. and Mrs. James C. Adams moved into this contemporary house on a one-acre lot across the lake from Lake View Estates, south of the city, last June. Exterior walls of the house are of chanel rustic cedar stained driftwood grey, and the shed roof is of shake shingles. All rooms in the house have cathedral ceilings. (Photo by Kadel).

THE ADAMS LIVING-DINING ROOM—Mrs. James C. Adams looks at a large abstract oil painting by Richard Emerick on the 16½-foot wall of the living-dining room of the contemporary home where she and her husband and two children live. This room has a kelly green ceiling and carpet, with zebra print sectional, two bright yellow chairs, Parsons dining table and Florentine chairs of antique white. (Photo by Kadel).

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IN THE FAMILY ROOM—Dru Adams serves a cooling drink to her two children, three-year-old Stacy and five-year-old Jason, in the family room of the Adams home south of the city. This comfortable room, decorated in colors of black, yellow, green and orange, overlooks a small lake. (Photo by Kadel)

MINUTES AND MARRIAGE RECORDS

ADAMS.
1787, 7, 2. William & w & ch (s: William, Moses, George & John) rocf Cane Creek MM, dated 1787,5,5.
1787, 7, 2. Susanna & dt, Sarah & Margret, rocf Cane Creek MM, dated 1787,5,5.
1787,12, 3. Jonathan & ch rocf Cane Creek MM, dated 1787,8,4.
1787,12, 3. Ann rocf Cane Creek MM, dated 1787, 8,4.
1791, 3, 7. Moses dis mou.
1793,10, 7. Charity Huff (form Adams) dis mou.
1794, 2, 3. Mary (form Merine) dis mou.
1797, 6, 5. Jane, of Pine Grove, con her misconduct.
1798, 8, 6. William recrq.

ADAMSON.
1785,11, 7. Mary rocf Cane Creek MM, dated 1785,9,3.
1787, 7, 2. Jesse T. & s, John & Joseph, of Muddy Creek, recrq.
1787, 7, 2. Charity & Margret recrq of mother, Mary.
1795, 1, 5. Mary, of Muddy Creek, dis.
1795, 9, 7. Jesse & fam, of Muddy Creek, gct New Hope MM. (rem)

AIRES.
1790,10, 4. Milla (form Stanley) dis mou.

ALBERTSON.
1805, 7, 1. Nixon rocf Symons Creek MM, dated 1805,4,20.
1806, 8, 4. Nixon gct Springfield MM.
1808,12, 8. Elias (Alberson), s John & Mary, Randolph Co., m Mary Bundy.
1813, 3, 1. Jemima (Alberson) rocf Back Creek MM, dated 1812,11,28.
1815,11,13. Peninah gct Blew River MM, Ind.
1816, 4, 1. Mary, Sr. & dt, Eliza, gct Blew River MM, Ind. Territory.

AMBURN.
1786, 4, 3. Esther, of Springfield, recrq.
1796, 6, 6. Phebe dis mou.
1822,12, 5. Lydia (Ambern) (form Bundy) dis mou.

ANDERSON.
1801, 9, 7. Miriam (form Mendenhall) dis mou.
1807, 5, 4. Sarah (form Gardner) dis mou.
1807, 7, 6. Jesse Moore & Joshua Anderson rocf Sutton Creek MM, dated 1807,3,14.
1816, 7, 1. Sarah rq mbrp.
1820, 3, 2. Joshua gct Springfield MM, to m.
1820, 6, 1. Joshua gct Springfield MM.
1862,10, 2. Bridget B. & s, Daniel B., rocf Holly Spring MM, dated 1862,8,20.
1863, 4, 7. Bridget B. gct Springfield MM, N.C.
1864, 4, 7. Daniel B., s Bridget, gct Springfield MM.

ANDERSON, continued.
1872,12, 5. Daniel B. rocf Marlboro MM.

ANDREWS.
1805,11,14. Henery (Andrew), s William & Hannah, Orange Co., m Jane Mills.
1806, 2, 3. Jane gct Springfield MM.

ARMFIELD.
1855, 4, 5. Lydia B. (form Hill) con her mou.

ARNETT.
1816, 3, 4. Jesse recrq.
1816, 8, 5. Thomas, of Muddy Creek, recrq.
1817, 9,10. Jesse, s Valentine & Sarah, Stokes Co., m Margaret Williams.

BAKER.
1781, 2, 5. Patience (form Hadly) dis mou.

BALDWIN.
1779,12,15. Jesse, s William & Elizabeth, Guilford Co., m Hannah Thornbrough.
1780, 5, 1. Hannah gct New Garden MM.
1783, 3, 3. Jesse & w & ch, Enos, rocf New Garden MM, dated 1783,2,22.
1783, 3, 3. Hannah rocf New Garden MM, dated 1783,2,22.
1784, 2,18. Uriah, s William & Elizabeth, Guilford Co., m Hannah Hunt.
1784, 6, 7. Hannah gct New Garden MM.
1786, 8, 7. Jesse & fam gct New Garden MM.
1786, 8, 7. Hannah gct New Garden MM.
1804, 2, 6. John, Jr. rpd mou.
1806, 6,12. Jesse, s John & Jemima, Guilford Co., m Hannah Mendenhall.
1807, 6, 1. John, Jr. con his misconduct.
1809,10, 2. Charlotte recrq.
1810, 2, 5. Jesse & Isaac recrq of father, John, Jr.
1810, 2, 5. Margaret & Jemima, minors, recrq of mother, Charlotte.
1814, 7, 4. Sarah Pitts (form Baldwin) con her mou.
1815, 6, 5. Daniel gct Center MM, to m.
1822,12,12. Jane, dt John & Jemima, Guilford Co., m James Galbrath.
1825, 1,20. Margret, dt John & Charlotte, Guilford Co., m Elijah Davis.
1825, 7, 7. John & fam gct New Garden MM, Ind.
1825, 7, 7. Charlotte & two dts gct New Garden MM, Ind.
1826, 2,16. Jesse, s John & Jemima, Guilford Co., m Margaret Beeson.
1830, 2, 4. Nathan gct Marlboro MM, to m.
1830, 7, 1. Malinda rocf Marlboro MM, dated 1830,6,10.
1830,10, 7. Nathan & fam gct Springfield MM, Wayne Co., Ind.
1830,10, 7. Malinda gct Springfield MM, Ind.
1831, 9, 1. David & fam gct White Water MM, Ind.
1831, 9, 1. Charity & four dt gct White Water MM, Ind.

HUSBAND JOHN ADAMS

Birth 18 Sept. 1772 Place Canterbury, Windham, Conn.
Chr. Place
Death 24 Apr. 1863 Place Canterbury, Windham, Conn.
Burial Place
Father John Adams Mother (Maiden Name) Mary Parker
Mar. 8 May 1798 Place Scotland, Windham, Conn.
Other Wives (if any) 2/ Mrs. Mabel Burrett 30 Aug. 1831

Where was information shown on this family record obtained? Cleveland Gen. by E. J. Clev B 1 p. 843 No. 2126

WIFE ELIZABETH RIPLEY

Birth 12 Mar. 1776 Place Scotland, Windham, Conn.
Chr. Place
Death 23 Feb. 1829 Place Canterbury, Windham, Conn.
Burial Place
Father Gamaliel Ripley Mother (Maiden Name) Judith Perkins
Other Hus. (if any)

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Male or Female		CHILDREN (Give names in full in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Day Mo. Yr.	WHERE BORN Town County	State or Country	DIED Day Mo. Yr.	MARRIED
F	1	Mary Adams	7 Apr. 1799	Canterbury, Windham,	Conn.		Date 18 Sept. 1821 To Daniel Hemenway
M	2	Gamaliel Adams	2 July 1800	" "	"	29 Apr. 1802	Date To
M	3	John Ripley Adams	[illegible] Mar. 1802	" "	"	[illegible] Apr. 1802	Date 19 Feb. 1833 To Mary Ann McGregor
M	4	Ripley Perkins Adams	11 Jan. 1804	" "	"		Date To
F	5	Elizabeth Ripley Adams	7 July 1805	" "	"	9 Oct. 1837	Date To George Cowles
M	6	William Adams	25 Jan. 1807	" "	"	31 Aug. 1880	Date 13 July 1831 To Susan P. Kagoum
F	7	Harriet Hannah Adams *	14 Jan. 1809	" "	"	10 May 1866	Date 7 Nov. 1832 To Mr. J. G. A. Edge
F	8	Abby Ann Adams *	10 Mar. 1811	" "	"	1 Nov. 1890	Date 1 Sept. 1833 To Mr. A. M. Egerton
F	9	Emily Jane Adams	2 Jan. 1813	" "	"		Date 8 May 1845 To Joseph H. Bancrof
M	10	Henry Adams	3 Apr. 1815	" "	"	15 Apr. 1816	Date
F	11	Phebe Phillips Adams	24 July 1817	" "	"	25 Apr. 1843	Date 8 Sept. 1840 To William Campbell
	12						Date To
	13						Date To
	14						Date To
	15						Date To

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HUSBAND John Adams (father of 2nd President)

Birth February 8, 1691 Place

Chr. Place

Death May 25, 1761 Place

Burial Place

Father Mother (Maiden Name)

Mar. October 31, 1734 Place

Other Wives (if any)

Where was information shown on this family record obtained? Facts about the presidents, Joseph Nathan Kane, c1959, p.18

WIFE Susanna Boylston

Birth March 5, 1699 Place

Chr. Place

Death April 17, 1797 Place

Burial Place

Father Mother (Maiden Name)

Other Husb. (if any)

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Male or Female	CHILDREN (Give names in full in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Day Mo. Yr.	WHERE BORN Town County	State or Country	DIED Day Mo. Yr.	MARRIED
	1 John Adams	30 Oct. 1735	Braintree	Mass	4 July 1826	Date To
	2 Peter Boylston "	16 Oct. 1738			2 June 1823	Date To
	3 Elihu "	29 May 1741			18 Mar. 1776	Date To
	4					Date To
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HUSBAND John Adams 2nd President

Birth October 30, 1735 Place Braintree (now Quincy) Mass.
Chr. Place
Death July 4, 1826 Place Quincy, Mass.
Burial Place First Unitarian Church, Quincy, Mass.
Father John Adams Mother (Maiden Name) Susanna Boylston
Mar. October 25, 1764 Place Weymouth, Mass.
Other Wives (if any)

Where was information shown on this family record obtained? Facts about the presidents, Joseph Nathan Kane, c1959 p. 18.

WIFE Abigail Smith

Birth November 11, 1744 Place Weymouth, Mass.
Chr. Place
Death October 28, 1818 Place Quincy,
Burial Place
Father William Smith Mother (Maiden Name) Elizabeth Quincy
Other Husb. (if any)

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Male or Female	CHILDREN (Give names in full in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Day Mo. Yr.	WHERE BORN Town County	State or Country	DIED Day Mo. Yr.	MARRIED
	1 Abigail Amelia Adams	14 July 1765	Braintree	Mass	15 Aug 1813	Date June 12, 1786 To Wm. Stephens Smith
	2 John Quincy "	11 July 1767	"	"	23 Feb. 1848	Date July 26, 1797 To Louisa Catherine Johnson
	3 Susanna "	28 Dec. 1768	Boston	"	4 Feb. 1770	Date To
	4 Charles "	29 May 1770	"	"	30 Nov. 1800	Date August 29, 1795 To Sarah Smith
	5 Thomas Boylston "	15 Sept. 1772	Quincy	"	12 Mar. 1832	Date May 16, 1805 To Ann Harod
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HUSBAND John Quincy Adams 6th president

Birth July 11, 1767 Place Braintree (now Quincy) Mass.
Chr. Place
Death February 23, 1848 Place Washington, D.C.
Burial Place First Unitarian Church, Quincy, Mass.
Father John Adams Mother (Maiden Name) Abigail Smith
Mar. July 26, 1797 Place London, England
Other Wives (if any)

WIFE Louisa Catherine Johnson

Birth February 12, 1775 Place London, England
Chr. Place
Death May 14, 1852 Place Washington, D.C.
Burial Place Quincy, Mass.
Father Joshua Johnson Mother (Maiden Name) Catherine Nuth
Other Husb. (if any)

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Facts about the presidents, Joseph Nathan Kane, c 1959 p. 48

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	1 Geo. Washington Adams	13 Apr. 1801	Berlin	Ger.	30 Apr. 1829	Date To
	2 John "	4 July 1803	Boston	Mass	23 Oct. 1834	Date February 25, 1828 To Mary Catherine Hellen
	3 Charles Francis "	18 Aug. 1807	"	"	21 Nov. 1886	Date September 3, 1829 To Abigail Brown Brooks
	4 Louisa Catherine "	1811	St. Petersburg	Russia	1812	Date To
	5					Date To
	6					Date To
	7					Date To
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HUSBAND Lonnie W. Adams

Birth 8 May 1918 Place St Paul Va., Russell Co

Chr. Place

Death Place

Burial Place

Father Ben Adams Mother (Maiden Name) Georgie Vaughn

Mar. 15 Oct 1938 Place Gate city Va.

Other Wives (if any)

Where was information shown on this family record obtained? Floyce Macey Marsh

WIFE Gladys Jeme Talbert

Birth 15 Dec 1909 Place

Chr. Place

Death Place

Burial Place

Father Trigg Talbert Mother (Maiden Name) Nancy Campbell

Other Hus. (if any) 1st Marion McDowell Little

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Male or Female	CHILDREN (Give names in full in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Day Mo. Yr.	WHERE BORN Town County	State or Country	DIED Day Mo. Yr.	MARRIED
F	1 Barbara Ann Adams	5 April 1940	Kingsport, Sullivan	Tenn		Date To
	2					Date To
	3					Date To
	4					Date To
	5					Date To
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HUSBAND William Adams (Over)

Birth September 15, 1734 Place Chester Co., Pa.
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Death Place
Burial Place
Father George Adams Mother (Maiden Name) Katharine
Mar. Place
Other Wives (if any)

Where was information shown on th family record obtained? Encyclopedia of American Quakers Genealogy, William W. Hinshaw, Vol. II pp. 345, 370.

WIFE Susannah Martin

Birth June 18, 1734 Place Chester Co., Pa.
Chr. Place
Death Place
Burial Place
Father Moses Martin Mother (Maiden Name) Margaret
Other Husb. (if any)

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	1 Jetan (Jane) Adams	15 Feb 1755	Bedford Co	Va		Date 20 August 1772 To Thomas Brown *
	2 Rachel "	2 Jan. 1757	Orange "	NC		Date 16 December 1773 To Peter Moon
	3 Mary "	9 Feb. 1759	" "	"		Date dis mou To Richard (see over) Brown *
	4 Anne "	24 Jan. 1761	" "	"		Date 6 January 1783 To Isaac Perkins
(2)	5 Jonathan "	22 Jan. 1763	" "	"	29 Aug 1851	Date 19 October 1786 To Anne Brown *
	6 Sarah "	25 Jan. 1765	" "	"		Date To
(3)	7 William "	30 July 1767	" "	"		Date To
(4)	8 Moses "	18 Aug 1769	" "	"		Date To
(5)	9 George "	7 Oct. 1771	" "	"		Date To
(6)	10 James "	14 Nov. 1773	" "	"	Nov. 18, 1773	Date To
	11 Margaret "	11 Nov. 1775	" "	"		Date To
(7)	12 John "	12 Dec 1778	" "	"		Date To
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Minutes; Cane Creek MM, Orange Co., N.C. p. 370

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1756, 2, 7. Susanna rec'd Goshen MM

1762, 9, 4. William rec'd

1772, 8, 20 Jane m Thomas Brown

1773, 12, 16 Rachel m Peter Moon

1780, 4, 1 Mary Brown (form Adams) dis mon

1783, 1, 6 Ann m Isaac Perkins

1786, 10, 19 Jonathan m Anne Brown

1787, 5, 5 William and fam get Deep River MM, N.C.

1787, 5, 5 Susanna (with h) + ch get Deep River MM, N.C.

1787, 8, 4 Jonathan + w get Deep River MM, N.C.

1787, 8, 4 Ann (with h) get Deep River MM, N.C.

Minutes: Deep River MM, Guilford Co., N.C. p. 796

Adams

1787, 7, 2 William + w + ch (s: William, Moses, George + John) rec'd Cane Creek MM, dated 1787, 5, 5

1787, 7, 2 Susanna + dt, Sarah + Margret, rec'd Cane Creek MM, dated 1787, 5, 5

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1793, 10, 7 Charity Huff, (form Adams) dis mon

1794, 2, 3 Mary, (form Merine) dis mon

1797, 6, 5 Jane, of Pine Grove, con her misconduct

1798, 8, 6 William rec'd

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HUSBAND Jonathan Adams

Birth 22 January 1763 Place Orange Co., NC.
Chr. Place
Death 29 August 1851 Place Surry Co., N.C. Deep River MM
Burial Place
Father William Adams Mother (Maiden Name) Susannah Martin
Mar. 19 October 1786 Place Cane Creek MM, Orange Co., N.C.
Other Wives (if any)

Where was information shown on this family record obtained? Encyclopedia of American Quakers Genealogy, Wm. (V.I) Wade Hinshaw pp. 345, 370, 376, 347, 948, 957, 961

WIFE Anne Brown

Birth 17 December 1765 Place Orange Co., N.C.
Chr. Place
Death 23 June 1855 Place Surry Co., N.C., Deep River MM
Burial Place
Father William Brown Mother (Maiden Name) Hannah Moon
Other Husb. (if any)

Name and address of person submitting this sheet: LaVerne Anstead Hughes 921 North Center St. Terre Haute, Ind.

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	1 Hannah Adams	1 Sept 1787	Surry Co.	N.C.	9 Jan 1852	Date To
	2 William "	28 Sept 1789	" "	"		Date 7 February 1811 To Rachel Brown
	3 Susana "	28 Aug 1792	" "	"		Date To
✓	4 Ebanezar "	8 Feb 1795	" "	"		Date 7 November 1816 To Rebeckah Davis
	5 Jonathan "	18 Mar 1797	" "	"		Date To
	6 Rachel "	7 Apr 1799	" "	"		Date To
	7 Martia "	24 Mar 1801	" "	"	25 Apr. 1801	Date To
✓	8 Joel "	16 Feb 1802	" "	"		Date 15 May 1832 To Rachel Davis
	9 Ann "	19 May 1804	" "	"		Date To
	10 Sarah "	24 Aug. 1806	" "	"		Date To
	11 Jane "	7 May 1810	" "	"		Date To
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HUSBAND Ebenezar Adams (over)

Birth 2-8-1795 Place prob. Surry Co., N.C.

Chr. Place

Death Place

Burial Place

Father Jonathan Adams Mother (Maiden Name) Anne Brown

Mar. 1816, 11, 7 Place Deep Creek Mtg., Surry Co., N.C.

Other Wives (if any)

Where was information shown on this family record obtained? Encyclopedia of American Quakers Genealogy, Wm. Wade Hinshaw, pp. VI 973, 980, 984, 975

WIFE Rebecca (Rebeckah) Davis

Birth 4-29-1795 Place

Chr. Place

Death Place

Burial Place

Father William Davis Mother (Maiden Name) Ann

Other Husb. (if any)

Name and address of person submitting this sheet:

LaVerne Anstead Hughes
921 North Center Street
[redacted]

Place Additional Genealogical and Historical Data on Reverse Side

Male or Female	CHILDREN (Give names in full in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Day Mo. Yr.	WHERE BORN Town Prob., County	State or Country	DIED Day Mo. Yr.	MARRIED
	1 Lucinda Adams	7-7-1822	Surry Co.	N.C.		Date To
	2 Anna "	15-7-1824	" "	"		Date To
	3 Mary "	17-9-1826	" "	"		Date To
	4 Joel "	30-11-1828	" "	"		Date To
	5 Seneth "	7-10-1830	" "	"		Date To
	6					Date To
	7					Date To
	8					Date To
	9					Date To
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1831, 10, 1 Ebenezer + fam. gct Springfield mm, Wayne Co., Ind.
1831, 10, 1 Rebecca + dts gct Springfield mm, Wain Co., Ind.

HUSBAND Joel Adams

Birth 2-16-1802 Place (probably) Surry Co., N.C.
Chr. Place
Death Place
Burial Place
Father Jonathan Adams Mother (Maiden Name) Anne Brown
Mar. 1832, 5, 15 Place Westfield MM., Surry Co., N.C.
Other Wives (if any)

Where was information shown on this family record obtained? Encyclopedia of American Quakers Genealogy, Wm. Wade Hinshaw, Vol. I pp 973, 959, 961,

WIFE Rachel Davis (of Grayson Co., Va.)

Birth 9-16-1810 Place
Chr. Place
Death Place
Burial Place
Father William Davis Mother (Maiden Name) Elizabeth Huff (p. 984)
Other Husb. (if any)

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Male or Female	CHILDREN (Give names in full in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Day Mo. Yr.	WHERE BORN Town Prob. County	State or Country	DIED Day Mo. Yr.	MARRIED
	1 Nejiah Adams	15-3-1833	Surry Co.	N.C.		Date To
	2 Hezakiah "	15-3-1833	" "	"	16-3-1833	Date To
	3 Elizabeth Martha "	12-2-1836	" "	"		Date To
	4 William "	18-9-1837	" "	"	11-11-1837	Date To
	5 Jearden "	7-10-1838	" "	"		Date To
	6 Nathan M. "	6-2-1841	" "	"		Date To
	7 Rhoda Jane "	6-8-1842	" "	"		Date To
	8 Aseanith J. "	19-4-1844	" "	"		Date To
	9 a dau. "	3-2-1846	" "	"	9-2-1846	Date To
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HUSBAND John Adams

Birth ..... Place .....
Chr ..... Place .....
Death 9-25-1836 ..... Place Deep Creek MM, Surry Co., N.C.
Burial ..... Place .....
Father ..... Mother (Maiden Name) .....
Mar ..... Place .....
Other Wives (if any) .....

Where was information shown on this family record obtained? Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy, Wm. Wade Hinshaw, Vol. I., pp. 973

WIFE Sarah

Birth ..... Place .....
Chr ..... Place .....
Death ..... Place .....
Burial ..... Place .....
Father ..... Mother (Maiden Name) .....
Other Husb. (if any) .....

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Male or Female	CHILDREN (Give names in full in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Day Mo. Yr.	WHERE BORN Town Prob. County	State or Country	DIED Day Mo. Yr.	MARRIED
	1 Zacharah Adams	23-8-1824	Surry Co	N C		Date To
	2 Caroline "	16-3-1826	" "	"		Date To
	3 Elizabeth "	6-9-1828	" "	"		Date To
	4 Zimri "	22-5-1830	" "	"		Date To
	5 Daniel "	28-1-1832	" "	"		Date To
	6 Mahlon "	27-11-1833	" "	"		Date To
	7 Thomas "	15-8-1835	" "	"		Date To
	8					Date To
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FGS Family Group Sheet

1 Adams

1) Lineage of Chlora Mae (Seaton) Leachman to William Adams
Two (2) Typed pages

2) Facts about the Presidents, by Joseph Nathan Kane, c 1959. pp 18 + 48.
Three (3) Family Group Sheets, hand written

3) John Adams + wife, Elizabeth Ripley. Xerox copy of FGS, Archive Record. 1 page

4) Lonnie W. Adams and wife, Gladys June Talbert.
FGS - Floye Macey Marsh. 1 page, hand written

5) William Adams and w Susannah Martin with some of their descendants.
FGS - 5 handwritten pages
Ref: Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy, by Wm. Wade Hinshaw, Vol. I

6) Xerox Copy - 1 page - Hinshaw, Vol. I p. 796.

Adams
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The said Josiah Dolloff was the son of John Dolloff and Mary Miles

Authorities proving line of descent from ancestor

1st Bible and cemetery records
2nd Court Records, Switzerland Co., Ind.
3rd Notarized statement enclosed
4th Record from the office of the Register of
5th Probate for the county of Kennebec, Augusta
6th Maine - Enclosed
5th Data from typescript of Dolloff Genealogy in New Hampshire Soc. Library Enclosed

Ancestor's service - farmer and landowner

Indexed 10/12/82

L. A. Hughes

Vigo County Historical Society

Terre Haute, Indiana

PATERNAL

Harley E. Adams
B Mar. 11, 1877
M Sept. 8, 1897
D Nov. 3, 1944
R Edgar Co., Ill.

Lewis J. Adams
B 1848-
M Sept. 10, 1872 Switzerland Co. Ind.
D 1922-
R

Thomas Frederick Adams
B 1824-
M Sept. 27, 1847 Switzerland Co. Ind.
D 1906-
R

Thomas Adams
B M 1814 N. N.
D R

Betsey (Elizabeth) Dolloff
B 8-24-1785 D

Josiah Dolloff (over)
b. 1775 d. 1830
m. 1780 N. N.

Jane Knof b. 1817

Lucy Cole
B
D

B M
D R

B D

Lucretia Stewart
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ANCESTORS OF

Gladys Adams Thomasmeyer
B Jan. 21st, 1900 near Chrisman, Ill.
R Dana, Ind.
m. Dec. 14, 1924 to
Earl Thomasmeyer

MATERNAL

B M
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Daisy E. Bush
B July 9, 1882
D Living, 1949

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B=Born
M=Married
D=Died
R=Resided
Reference—On Back of Page

Adams Family

Chlora Mae Seaton Leachman ADAMS

I, Chlora Mae Seaton, was born 18 July 1901 at Cloverport, Kentucky, married 25 June 1925 at Cloverport, Kentucky to Guy Forrest Leachman, born 16 October 1891 and am a direct descendant of ROBERT ADAMS, as follows:

1. The said Chlora Mae Seaton was the child of James Davis Seaton born 26 October 1873 in Harvey County, Kansas, died at Cloverport, Kentucky 24 November 1934 and his wife, Mary Lillian Adkisson, born 15 October 1869 at Hardinsburg, Kentucky, died at Louisville, Kentucky 18 March 1961, married 9 November 1893 at Breckenridge County, Kentucky.

2. The said Mary Lillian Adkisson was the child of Richard Adkisson, Sr. born 6 October 1832 at Clifton Mills, Kentucky, died at Hardinsburg, Kentucky 4 December 1906 and his wife, Amelia Miller, born 8 November 1833 at Hardinsburg, Kentucky, died at Hardinsburg, Kentucky 26 February 1919, married 14 June 1859.

3. The said Amelia Miller was the child of Barnett Miller born 11 February 1793 at Breckenridge County, Kentucky, died at Hardinsburg, Kentucky 22 March 1859 and his wife, Judith Hendrick, born 25 April 1799 in Breckenridge County, Kentucky, died in Breckenridge County, Kentucky 17 January 1871.

4. The said Judith Hendrick was the child of Robert Hendrick died in Breckenridge County, Kentucky in August 1818 and his wife, Lucy Moorman, born 20 April 1783, married 26 January 1798 in Campbell County, Virginia.

5. The said Lucy Moorman was the child of Andrew Moorman born 2 December 1744, died 30 March 1791 and his wife, Judith Clark, born 13 December 1749, married ca 1771.

6. The said Judith Clark was the child of Micajah Clark, Sr. born 16 September 1718 in Louisa County, Virginia, died in Albemarle County, Virginia in 1800 and his wife, Judith Adams, born in 1716, married ca 1736.

7. The said Judith Adams was the child of Robert Adams born ca 1680, died in Goochland County, Virginia ca 1740 and his wife, Mourning Lewis, died in Albemarle County, Virginia before 1765.

8. The said Robert Adams was the child of William Adams born in 1650, died in 1685 and his wife, Alice, born in 1661, died in 1745, married in 1680.

9. The said William Adams was the child of Robert Adams, died in 1628, who came from Isle of Angleses, North Wales on the "Bona Nova" in 1619.

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REFERENCES FOR LINEAGE

See National Number 8522, Ancestor "Christopher Clark" for
Generations 1,2,3,4,5,6
"The Hendricks and Their Kin" (1962) by
Jasper R. Hendrick, Clarendon Hills, Illinois, pages 24,25
Generations 7,8,9,10

CHILDREN OF ANCESTOR

William Adams

ANCESTOR'S SERVICES

Member House Burgesses from "Martins Hundred" 21V55

PROOF

"The Hendricks and Their Kin", page 24, by
Jasper R. Hendrick
Clarendon Hills, Illinois

Adams Family

Special Collections

Mary K. Hubbard
15 South Cornwall Ave.
Ventnor City NJ 08406

August 14, 1984

The Vigo County Historical Society forwarded your letter of August 2 to the library.

I checked our surname file, miscellaneous card file, and the index to the various Vigo county histories but did not find any mention of Samuel W. Adams. There were four Samuels in the Vigo county marriage records, but the dates were too late to have been your man. A John M. Adams married a Lizzie Buckingham on 18 Nov. 1875, but that date is probably too late too.

I did find that Samuel Mack had a clothing store on Wabash Avenue between 2nd and 3rd streets. He was listed in the 1858 Terre Haute city directory (the first one) but one of the county histories says he was an early businessman.

The 1835 date of the land sale is so early that I wonder if Samuel Adams had obtained the land from the Federal government rather than an individual. In that case, the record of the land sale would be in the tract book rather than in the deed books. Do you have the legal description of the land? If so you could get a copy of the land patent of the first purchaser from the Bureau of Land Management.

That is rather a long shot but might work. Sometimes I wonder how acurately the deeds were recorded in the early days. I have a record of a man selling land in Iroquois county IL which says that his original purchase of the land was recorded in Vermilion county IL, and Vermilion county says there is no record of it.

York, Clark county IL, is just across the river from Sullivan county IN. However, the Sullivan county courthouse burned in 1850, so you probably couldn't get any records there.

Nancy Sherrill
Nancy Sherrill
Genealogy Librarian

15 South Cornwall Avenue
Ventnor City, NJ 08406
2 Aug 1984

Vigo County Historical Society
1411 S. 6th Street
Terre Haute, Ind 47802

Dear Friends,

I am researching my great grandfather, Samuel W. Adams. He was born 28 May 1810. Married 8 Feb 1853, York, Clark Co. Ill. to Amanda Sackrider. He died 12 Nov 1873, Shelbyville, Ill.

I am trying to trace his parents etc. through land records. I was at the Crawford Co. Court House and found the following: Samuel W. Adams, sold land in Clark Co. Ill and Henry Co. Ind to Samuel Mack, to clear a debt of Jno. M. Adams, Nov. 8, 1835 in Terre Haute, Vigo Co. Ind. I have written Henry Co, Vigo Co. and Knox Co. to find out about the Indiana land. So far none of these County Recorders have found record of the land.

I am hoping you might be able to help me solve this problem. Do you have any suggestions how to find this land record? Or do know of, in your records, any of the above mentioned people? I have a feeling perhaps Samuel W. Adams was married previously to his marriage to Amanda, altho, he did not bring children to the marriage.

I would be most appreciative for any help you might be able to give. I would be happy to pay a fee for this service.

Sincerely,

Mary K. Hubbard

Mary K. Hubbard

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RESEARCH REPORT

The item(s) circled below indicate the record(s) searched for the surnames of ADAMS, Samuel W. + Jno. M.; MACK, Samuel in response to your request of 2 Aug 1984.

1. Miscellaneous Card File:
Did not find ✓ Found _____

2. Surname File:
Did not find ✓ Found _____

3. Vigo County, Indiana, Index of Names of Persons and of Firms (in the county histories)
Did not find _____ Found Historically Speaking by Dorothy Clark - Max Joseph + Samuel Mack had a clothing store on Wabash Ave.

4. Vigo County, Indiana, Marriage Licenses from 1818 to 1850:
Did not find ✓ Found _____

5. W.P.A. Index to Marriage Record, Vigo County, 1840-1920:
Did not find _____ Found 9 Samuel Adams but all married after 1853
John M Adams m. Lizzie Buckingham 18 Nov 1875

6. W.P.A. Index to Death Record, Vigo County, 1882-1920:
Did not find _____ Found _____

7. Cemetery Records of Vigo County, Including All Born Prior to 1830 That Lived to Maturity:
Did not find _____ Found _____

8. Cemeteries, Vigo County, Indiana (4 cols.):
Did not find _____ Found _____

9. Woodlawn Cemetery, Terre Haute, Vigo County IN, Index of Burials
Vol. 1 1839-1899 vol. 2 1900-March 1983:
Did not find _____ Found _____

10. Census Index for the year _____:
Did not find _____ Found _____

OTHER: See opposite side

Adams Family Special Collections
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ADAMS—On Thursday, March 24th, at the residence of her son-in-law, E. L. Taylor, in this city, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, in the ninety-third year of her age.

The funeral will take place from the family residence, No. 1,021 Fifth-and-a-half (Dowling) street, at two o'clock this afternoon. Services by C. R. Henderson, at Baptist church.

Adams SBK V
Family

1. Adams Family

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Sept. 1985

Dear Nancy Sherriel

This is Elsie Moore I was looking for some of my fathers people in 1981, 82, 83, 84.

I think I have locate some of them. My grandfather Called Old Jeremiah Adams married Indianna Hammock. Has a brother Named William Alford Adams and married a Powers (think) had at least 1 son Jeremiah called Little Jerry who married Haley Jane Powers & had 5 small ch when she died & Little Jerry evidently put them all in orphans home, one at a time. One of Little Jerrys ch. was named Wm Alford Adams Jr.

There was another brother Isaiah Adams who married my grandmothers sister Levinia Hammock, another sister Mary Hammock married Jacherial Rogers who m. the same yr. Levinia & Isaiah Adams in 1857 Indep to death records in Vigo Co 1882–1920 has Mary Hammock when 72 died in Terre Haute on 25 Mar. 1882 also listed in Woodland Cem records.

There was a Werner Shepherd who married & had a son by his first wife & named him "Valentine" he was Called, "Tine"

Warner Shepherd born in Adair Co., Ky. Werner divorced & Come to Farmersburg Ind. Warner then married ~~Jeremiah's~~ Isaiah's oldest dau. Samantha Adams. & had 7 ch. Alice, Bertha, Dan, Frank, Jesse, Blanch, Della.

This is where I get stalled. One of ~~Jeremiah's~~ Isaiah's dau's married a Shepherd. & had 2 daus I saw when a child.

I thot ~~her~~ girl name was Blanch & she m. a man "Church" I've been told Bertha m. Fred Church. That doesn't chive. I don't remember other girls name Isaiah had 14 Ch. I had seen Joe, Tom, Charlie a time or so and I saw Leticia Mae Adams who had m. Edd Harris but all I was ever told was, "your fathers Cousins" Blanch m. Charles Clark, he must of died & Blanch remarried to Aford Wagg~~ner~~ - she had 2 ch by him - Catherine m. Fred Bales & lives in Winter Haven Fl. shes a Morman. I've written her twice, I can't drive so may never get to see her but she keeps a family history of the Adams family I'm told. Some people just wont write.

Jeremiah is 3rd son but I don't know their parents names. I find James ~~Hygger~~ & Levinia Hammock is parents of Levinia who m. Isaiah, India Ann who m Jeremiah there 4 more girls of the Hammocks.

Tine Shepherd also m. one of Isaiahs dau. Named Ella. Tine & Ella Shepherd had 1 Child. Everett Shepherd b 9 May 1912. Ella died 11 Feb. 1937 age 59 Samantha lived to be 86, longer than any of the rest. Warner was Everetts grand father & Tine was his father Isaiah was his other grandfather Leticia Mae was the last one of Isaiahs Ch to die. 75 yrs. died in 1960

Jeremiah & India Ann's dau Myrtle Mae died in Rocky Ford Colo. All these older Adams have died I've found thro' a mr Owens what cem each of Jeremiahs family was buried in John m. 2nd to Daisy ~~Hook~~ Hickman of Pimento. Johns son Waldo m. Anna Thompson first. divorced. years later m. a lady in Henderson, Ky.

Jesse Adams & Emma meeks had a son Oliver died c 1982 in Calif Oliver Adams, m. Ruby Pounds.
All of older generation gone

Jeremiah had a younger brother Reuben Adams m Stacy Powers Their Ch.

Martha had 1 son
Therza " 2 girls
Janie " 2 Ch.
Melvin " 4 "
Clyde " 6 "
Otts " 4 "

Reubens Ch are double Cousins to Edsil Adams Ch. There was a sister Martha Ann Adams to Jeremiah. I'd love to know if there were any more Ch. also who is their parents

Otts Adams m. Lille Mae Stone. They had a
1. dau to die Louie
2. Gladys Adams Watterson
I wonder if there is a bro. Joel to the adams' brothers.

You may already have found all of these., but in case you haven't I thought you may want them., altho' this may be a different set of Adams. Everett sent me ~~all~~ of Isaiahs family as Isaiah was his grandfather but says he knows nothing more. He says he doesn't know about the rest

4).

of the Adams. It appears no one knows more that their own immediate family. Gladys only knew about Reuben & Edsil about Wm alford adams.

I suppose theres a possibility of Samuel Adams being Jeremiah's father. I notice in Material you sent me there was a Wm Jr. I wonder if he is a child of Wm Alford who was a revolutionary Soldier.

I figure Jeremiah P. Adams belongs to the nevin-Adams, for no one else has mentioned a Nevins

Of course theres a Wm Greer adams, Alva H., James. James or Alva may be some of our adams.

as I said one time my mother speak of a Lucita, but I've always been hard of hearing since I can remember, and I find in Everetts letter that Isaiah had a dau named Lou and one Leticia Mae. I don't find any other name I could of missunderstood. One of Isaiah's son's Jesse m. a Lucy Rysinger.

Little Jeremiah's + Haley Jane's Ch. were.

1. Ethel Adams died of heart
2. Edsil " b. 18 July 1889.
3. Wm. Alford Jr. " b. 14 Feb 1891
4. Fannebelle " died of ca
5. Mary Marie " " " "

Edsil's bro. Wm Alford Adams Jr. m. on Adams. Nora had a dau. Jessie, divorced nora in 1915 or 16 she died c 1920 he m. second Emily Grigsby. Emily died 16 Jan 1979 of ca. Edsil only one of his family left.

I hope this is understandable if you can use any of it

in your search.

I have quite a thick note book on family history of my relatives including Frakes sections, Rosel, Robisons, Staggs, Gardners, Akers, Adams, Moores, Leaches, Gentrys, Cobles, Scotts, Hicks, Garretts, Frys, Stephens, Turmans, Shermans, and a few other families. Bidwells, Thompsons, Tinchers. I have from 1 pg to several for each family. It has kept me busy but I plan to bring it all to a close only for a few stray items that comes along now & then. My writing isn't so good when one is 86 I was b. ~~in~~ B dec 1887 & I have low blood sugar, ~~hiatus~~ hernia & arthritis all on left side mainly.

It interferes with my sleep. I get so little at times. Otherwise I'd feel quite good.

Sincerly
Elsie Moore

P.S. I am not living in wash. anymore I am in Tamp Fl. not far from my granddaughter I raised. I live in an apt building 3 buildings here A. B. C. I am in B. apt 310 there is 50 apt in each building we have centeral-heat, air condition we can each adjust the tempature to suit each person. Some has a man & his wife. There is rugs on floors, living room, bedroom, bath, small kitchen & storeroom also, elevator to go up & down, Office where they work picture puzzles, show pictures, & shuffle board out side when weather cooperates (over)

lots of Churches of different faiths in walking distances. a few miles away is nursing home. I hear it run right but its high. several Hosp real close. store across the road + a Drs Office + a few other handy things for older people. I have a woman in once a wk to Clean. She's a whiz + throughal, + a lady brings my noon lunch, I pay her $2.00 a day + she buys food. Is do that, the laundry Mat is 2 doors down the hall, I must feed the machines, rent, water, + lights, (electricity) is under 1 payment + Cheap. they put a new frig in my kitchen as the one there gave out + no extra pay to me. Each person furnishes the apt except Company buys stove + frig. beautiful lawn, trees + a wonderful place to live. + nice weather - no snow. The air Conditioner takes care of the heat or a fan

E.M.

Elsie F. Magre
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Tampa, FL 33612

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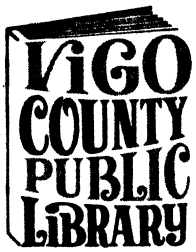
Adams Family



Daniel R. Champion
234 15th St. S.
Irondale AL 35210

July 8, 1982

Ruby Cronk, who compiled the Adams Connections, has been in the library recently. I believe she had a letter from your aunt and was looking up information for her. She has tentatively fit your aunt's Adamses into the family but isn't positive they really belong.

The difficulty is that there were two Jeremiahs. Jeremiah P. Adams married Frankey Ivey on 16 June 1844 and Sarah Dewitt on 26 Feb. 1854. A Jeremiah Adams married an Indiana Hannack on 9 Sept. 1865. Jeremiah P. had a son Jeremiah, but we think he may have been born between 1850 and 1854. If that is correct, then of course he couldn't have been married in 1865.

The W.P.A. Index to Marriage Records, Vigo County, 1840-1920 also lists an Isaiah Adams who married Levina Hammock on 20 Aug.1857. Ruby has this Isaiah listed as a son of Alvah Adams and Abigail Ball, grandson of James Adams and Margaret Woods, and great grandson of Samuel Adams and Anne Adams. That would make him a distant cousin of Jeremiah P. Adams, who was a son of William Greer Adams Jr. and Elizabeth Mercer, grandson of William Greer Adams and Mary Adams, and a great grandson of Samuel Adams and Anne Adams. Lucita Adams is listed as Isaiah's sister, but Ruby may have gotten this information from your aunt as she has made some recent changes on this sheet. In any case, I am enclosing copies of the family group sheets. The charge for photocopying is 10¢ per page, plus postage.

I checked the various Vigo county histories, cemetery records, and marriage records but didn't find much about the Hammocks. In the W.P.A. Index to Marriage Records I found the name spelled Hammack, Hammick, and Hammock. An Isaiah Hammack married a Sarah Walden on 21 Oct. 1855, but the other Hammack marriages were 1879 or later. Rose Hammick married George A. Ryan on 6 Oct. 1892. Mary Hammock married Zachariah Rogers on 17 Dec. 1857, the same year Levina married Isaiah Adams. Perhaps they were sisters.

According to the W.P.A. Index to Death Records, Vigo County, 1882-1920 Mary Hammack, age 72, died in Terre Haute on 25 March 1882. She is also listed in the Woodlawn cemetery records. Cemeteries, Vigo County, Indiana, volume two, lists the following Hammacks in the Stephens cemetery:

Billy E., April 15, 1922 -- Sept. 4, 1938
Elbert M. Dec. 13, 1900 --Nov. 13, 1918
Nannie B. 1881 - 1964
William H. 1877-1958

We have indexed the 1860 Vigo county census and there are no Hammocks,/Hammacks listed. However the index to the 1850 Indiana census lists a James Hammock in Sullivan county. He had a wife, Levina, and children Isaiah, Levina, Mary and Indiana among others, so I think he must be your man. Curry township is on the Vigo/Sullivan county line. I am enclosing a copy from the census.

Nancy Sherrill

Nancy Sherrill
Genealogy Librarian

3 xeroxes
1 printout

July 1, 1982
234 15th St. S.
Irondale, Al.
35210

Vigo County Public Library
1 Library Square
Terre Haute, Indiana

Dear Librarian,

I am writing for my great-aunt Mrs. R. H. Moore of Grandview, Wa. She is asking for information on the family of her grandparents Jeremiah Adams and Indiana Hammock Adams. I understand that there is a set of books "Adams Connections" which covers this family. Could you please send me the pages dealing with this family?

Also do you have any information on the Hammock family connecting to Indiana? What about a "Luricie Hammock", or perhaps it was Lucretia Hammock? My great-aunt tells me this Luricie could have been an Adams.

Thank You,
Daniel R. Champion.

Jeremiah Adams m. Indiana Hammock 9 Sept 1865
Jeremiah P. Adams m. Frankey Ivey 16 June 1844
Jeremiah P. Adams m. Sarah Dewitt 26 Feb 1854
Levina Hammock m. Isaiah Adams 20 Aug 1857

	Hammock
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Family File	0
Beckwith	0
Bradsby	0
Clark	0
Esarey	0
Oakey	0
Marr Rec Johns	0

UPA Hammocks ; Hammicks + 2 Hammocks p 23 vol 4

Death Rec Mary Hammock, age 22 d 25 Mar 1882, no Hammocks

Cem Rec Markle 0

Eddy

Lancaw Mary A Hammock 72 p 4 + 16 - 1882

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302 Adams Street
Grandview, Wa
98930

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Terre Haute, Indiana 47807

Here is payment for material sent to me 12 Feb 1982. Thanks much.

My great-aunt wants to know if there is anything on her Uncle Jesse Adams. He 1st married Emma Meeks divorced after 1900.
2nd married Lizzie Leeks } after 1908
3rd married Marie ___?___.

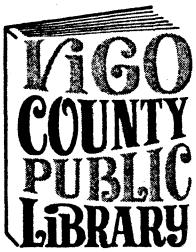
She wants to know all about Jesse & Marie's children. Since she says I contradict her everytime she opens her mouth, I will just send this as is.

I will take no answer to mean that you have no information on the above.

Thank you once again.

Daniel R. Champion.

Adams Family



Daniel R. Champion
302 Adams Street
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February 23, 1982

The W.P.A.'s Index to Marriage Records, Vigo County, 1840-1920 lists the following Jesse Adams marriages:

Adams, Jess. Born Nov. 5, 1874. Spouse, Lizzie Liston. June 13, 1914. Book 37. Page 455.

Adams, Jesse. Born Nov. 5, 1873. Spouse, Birdie Bennett. May 15, 1917. Book 45. Page 53.

Adams, Jesse. Born April 24, 1888. Spouse, Coan Edwards. May 20, 1911. Book 30. Page 444.

Adams, Jesse E. Spouse, Sarah E. Meek. Aug. 18, 1903. Book 17. Page 202.

The 1900 census is the last one that has been released to the public, so we won't be able to find the names of Jesse Adams' children from census records. I checked some of the Terre Haute city directories from the early 1900s but didn't find a Jesse Adams listed; he must have lived outside the city limits.

You might tell your aunt to write the genealogical query column in the local newspaper. The address is: Genealogy, Dorothy Clark, Terre Haute Tribune-Star, 721 Wabash Ave., Terre Haute, IN 47808. Since Jesse Adams was here after 1900, someone might remember the family.

The book and page numbers mentioned above refer to marriage record books in the clerk's office at the courthouse.

Nancy Sherrill

Nancy Sherrill
Genealogy Librarian

5-2-79

THE PARKE COUNTY SENTINEL

FOUR GENERATIONS. At a family get together on Easter Sunday, four generations were photographed. Mrs. Richard (Esther) Adams of Bridgeton is surrounded by her daughter, Marie Adams Newlin of Lafayette (Standing left), grandson Joe Newlin of Vincennes (Standing right) and great-granddaughter, Kalissa Newlin.

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August 14-1972

To General Information.

Regarding Wm Brady Adams who was in the Medical division of the 40th Volunteer Indiana Infantry Co. G of the Civil War.

would there be any chance of getting his war record and what would it cost.

Wm Brady Adams
Born Sept 4-1834 at West Point Indiana in Tippecanoe County.
died in St Cloud Florida in Sept 1922 at age of 88
grandson Herbert W Adams
I am his grand daughter

Hazel Adams.
1006 35TH ST. S.W.
Wyoming,
Michigan
49509

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ELIZABETH C. ROSS

August 28, 1972

Miss Hazel I. Adams
1006 35th St. S. W.
Wyoming, Mich. 49509

Dear Miss Adams:

I am enclosing a form which you may use to request a photostatic copy of your grandfather's war record. I believe that it will cost $1.00. Be sure to give them as much information about him as you can in order to make certain that they copy the correct records for you.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth R. Merrill

Elizabeth R. Merrill
Local History Division

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

Question (or material wanted) Date: 5-24-76

Name of 1st wife of John Adams — Photographer — began business in 1871 at No. 417-419 Main St.

NAME Mrs. W. J. Bucher

ADDRESS 3037 Kingston Circle PHONE 1-216-688-3884

Silver Lake

Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44224

ML1171

This is all the information I have

Mrs. Wendell T. Bucher
3037 Kingston Circle
Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio 44224

Cemetery Records of Vigo Co.
John M. Adams
d. Jan. 5, 1863 a. 51y.
(I wonder if this is the father?)

Census of 1880 — Terre Haute Ind.

John M. Adams — Photographer
Wife - Elizabeth 26 — E side 2nd betw Main + Cherry
Emma - 7 daughter — Early Block
Albert 3 - son.

This was my mother + I think her mother died when she was born — so the wife listed here must be his second wife. We have not been able to find the name of

his first wife. All I know is that her maiden name was "Stith".

Old City Cemetery - now Woodlawn
Name in directory 1885 - not found 1887

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September 28, 1976

Mrs. W. T. Bucher
3037 Kingston Ciecle
Silver Lake
Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio
44224

Dear Mrs. Bucher:

I have found a bit more information about John M. Adams. In 1868, he was listed as an upholsterer, living in the Early Block, e S 2nd between Main and Cherry Streets. I am copying the entry in the directory of 1872-3 for you, also the sketch which appeared in Beckwith's History and the one from C.C. Oakey's Greater Terre Haute and Vigo County. According to the latter, he was in the Civil War, and you could send to the National Archives and ask for his war record. You also might ask for a pension application, as these give much family information. I am enclosing some blanks for you to use, as well as the copies I made for you from the other books. I have not found the name of his first wife. She must have died in 1873, if she died in childbirth. If she appears in the Census of 1870, I shall let you know, but they may not have been married at that time. Do you know their Church affiliation? Sometimes marriage records can be found there.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth R. Merrill

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Local History Division

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ADAMS

Rec Jan 10-70

GEN.

Ace-Moore-Adams

Box 666,
Bluejacket, Oklahoma
January 6, 1970

Vigo County Historical Society,

Terre Haute, Indiana.

Gentlemen:

In attempting to furnish evidence of my Delaware Indian Ancestry, it has become necessary for me to try to find information concerning my great great grandmother, Polly Adams Dodge Buck McDougal who is shown on a copy of a census card in my possession to be at least ½ or possibly fullblood Delaware Indian. Polly is buried at Russell Creek Cemetery near Welch, Oklahoma and her tombstone shows that she was born Dec. 16, 1809 and died Dec. 17, 1873.

She was married three times: First to George Dodge and they had at least two children--Eliza Jane Dodge (Mills) and Mary Jane Dodge (summers). Eliza was my great grandmother. Do you have any information on George Dodge?

The second marriage was to a Buck and we have reason to believe there were children from that marriage also but we don not know anything about this marriage, even the first name of Buck. I have information that an M. D. Buck came to Nevins Township in 1816. Can you nonnect this in any way?

I have the following information concerning some Adams who were in Indian and especially Vigo County:

Indianan 1820 census shows :	Page 186	- Polly Adams	as 16-25
		James Adams	
		John Adams, Jr.	
		John Adams	
		Samuel Adams	
	Page 194	- Samuel Adams	
	186	- William Adams	

VIGO COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA

The "History of Vigo County" shows "those who cultivated lands under protection of Fort Harrison 1811, were William Grear Adams, Martin Adams.

In 1816 the following came to Vigo County Indiana: Charles Bullitt, Thomas Bullitt and Eliza Bullitt--it is considered possible that these were Adams connections.

William Adams was a settler in what is now Nevins Township 1816; came with his family from Kentucky and built house in Raccoon Bottom in heavy timber. In 1818 John and Samuel Adams came and settled just west of where now is Fountain Station, Nevins Twnsp. John was a Blacksmith, 1823 Grand Juror. Also a marriage license issued in Vigo County on Feb. 18, 1829 for Merritt Adams and Rebecca Nevans and on Sept. 22, 1830 for Susan Adams to Hugh Shepherd.

It is necessary for us to prove that Polly Adams Dodge Buck McDougal was a Delaware Indian and I thought that there might be Delaware Records available showing her in connection with some of the above information.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Mrs. Jean Meek

Mrs. Jean Meek
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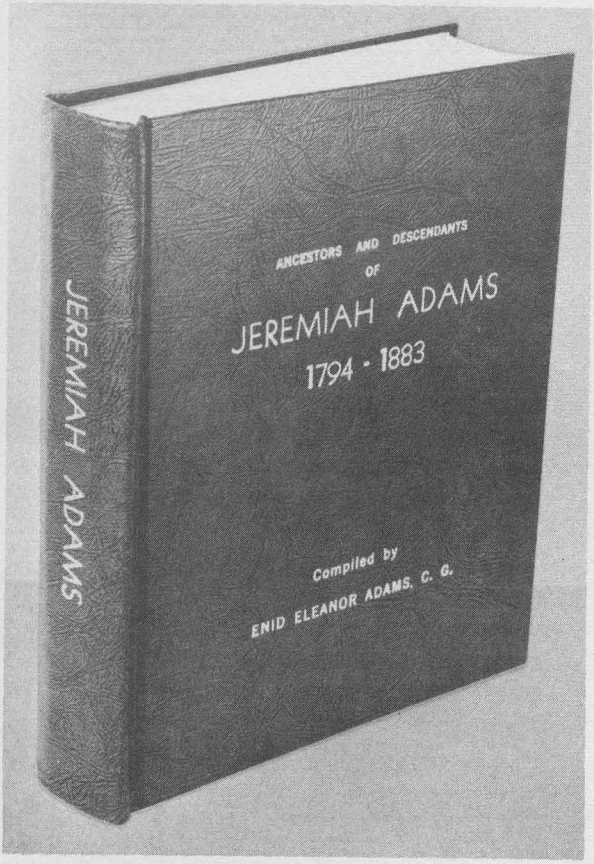

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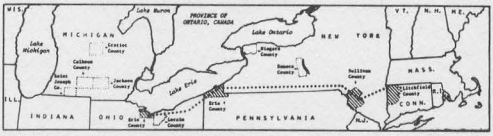

24. JEREMIAH[7] ADAMS [*Selleck, Sr.*[6], *Phineas*[5], *Isaac*[4], *John*[3], *Peter*[2], *Henry*[1]], third son of Selleck[6] & Anne (Crane) Adams, was born 15 January 1794[*1] at Salisbury, Litchfield County, Connecticut; died 20 December 1883, at Vermilion, Erie County, Ohio [*2], aged 89-11-5. He is buried in an unmarked grave in Maple Grove Cemetery in Vermilion in the lot in which his daughter Jane (Adams) (Shadduck) Andrews is also buried. [*3]

Jeremiah married first, 16 May 1816[*4], at the Dutch Reformed Church of Shawangunk, Ulster County, New York, CATHERINE BOWEN, born in 1798 in New York State.[*5] She died at the age of 38 on 29 January 1836, in Harborcreek Township, Erie County, Penna. [*6], leaving Jeremiah with a family of eight children, the eldest of whom would soon reach his 18th birthday, and the youngest being a child of only 27 months. Catherine's burial place has not been learned. Her father was, perhaps, the Daniel Bowen who was of Wallkill in Ulster County when the 1790 Federal Census of New York state was taken.[*7]

Some time between 13 September 1837 (the date of Ephraim Willard's will, which speaks of "my daughter Betsey Shadduck") and the time the 1840 census was taken, Jeremiah took as his second wife[*8] ELIZABETH "BETSEY"[6] (WILLARD) SHADDUCK, the eldest daughter of Ephraim Brigham[5] [*Josiah*[4], *Joseph*[3], *Benjamin*[2], *Simon*[1]] and Mindwell (Loomis) Willard.[*9] Her maternal grandparents were Seth and Mindwell (Porter) Loomis. Betsey was born 21 March 1791, in Vermont, and died on the 21st of August 1864, aged 73-5-0; was buried in the Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Harbor Creek, Erie Co., Penna.[*10] She was the widow of Joseph[5] Shadduck, Jr. [*Joseph, Sr.*[4], *John*[3], *William*[2], *John*[1], *William*[1] *Shattuck*], a pioneer settler of Greenfield, Erie County, Pennsylvania, who had died in June 1835. [*11] By her first marriage Betsey was said to have been the mother

*1 *Vital Records, Town of Salisbury, Connecticut (see facsimile on page 65).*
*2 *Death record #1, Vol. 2, page 31, Erie Co., Ohio; certified copy in possession of the compiler. Jeremiah's obituary in THE SANDUSKY LOCAL, 29 December 1883.*
*3 *Records of Maple Grove Cemetery, Vermilion, Ohio.*
*4 *"Marriages of the Dutch Reformed Church of Shawangunk, Ulster County, New York", transcribed by Kenneth E. Hasbrouck, published in NEW YORK GENEALOGICAL & BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD, July 1956, page 165.*
*5 *1880 census of Vermilion Twp., Erie Co., Ohio, shows birthplace of Mary Ann (Adams) Burd's mother (Catherine Bowen Adams), as New York state.*
*6 *Obituary of Mrs. Catherine Adams, 18 February 1836, in THE ERIE GAZETTE.*
*7 *For further discussion and records of Bowen family, see Appendix.*
*8 *Probate file of Joseph Shadduck, Erie County, Penna., contains document signed by "Betsy Adams" in August 1849, which states "the widow is still living and intermarried with Jeremiah Adams"; compiler has photostatic copy of document.*
*9 *Record of Ephraim Willard's family in SOLDIERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION ...ERIE CO., PA. (DAR publication) lists his eldest child: "Elizabeth, born March 21, 1791; married Joseph Shadduck". See full text of this record in Appendix.*
*10 *Records of Richard L. Cheney, historian-genealogist, of Erie, Penna.*
*11 *Records of the late Mrs. J.F. Kuhns, Waterford, Penna., show burial of "Joseph Shadduck Jr/ Died/ June 26, 1835/ Aged 82 Years, 1 Month 21 Days" in Shadduck Farm Burial Lot, Greenfield Twp., Erie Co.*

JOHN D. ADAMS' FAMILY. Standing, left to right: Nell, Jay, John Jr. and Floyd; seated, John D., Blanche, Hazel, and Susan [Hinkson] Adams. Taken before 1930.

Erie; Floyd and Jay, both of North Girard; a brother, John Hinkson, Pleasantville, Pa.; a sister, Mary Bernhardt, of Erie; 20 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren. Interment in family lot in North East Cemetery."

Children of John D.[9] and Susan Camilla (Hinkson) Adams:

318.	i. Nellie M....[10]	b 20 Dec 1880	d .. July 1939	m 1916	Harry Cheney Drury
319.	ii. Jay Henry	20 Feb 1882	7 Feb 1945		Never married
320.	iii. Blanche Delilah	2 Aug 1884	31 Mar 1939	m 1: 1903	Robert Roy Simmons
				2: 1928	Dr. Irwin A. Covey
	iv. Alice E.....	.... Dec 1886	17 Dec 1898		Died aged 12-0-....
321.	v. Hazel Susan	2 May 1889	30 Nov 1958	m 1911	Albert S. Davies
322.	vi. Floyd John	14 Oct 1892	4 Aug 1972	m 1: 1919	Florence L. Hatheway
				2: 1965	Mrs. Gertrude Marks
323.	vii. John Carl	19 Aug 1902	13 July 1957	m 1: 1924	Margaret Mary Page
				2:	Alice Signe Peterson

116. HENRY R.[9] ADAMS [*Harley*[8], *Jeremiah, Sr.*[7], *Selleck, Sr.*[6], *Phineas*[5], *Isaac*[4], *John*[3], *Peter*[2], *Henry*[1]], third child and second son of Harley[8] Adams by his second wife, Delilah (Babcock) Adams, was born 2 July 1855 [*1] at Harbor Creek, Erie Co., Pa.; died 26 April 1918 [*2] in Harborcreek Twp., Erie Co., Pa., aged 62-9-24; buried in Lot K-13 of Oak Hill Cemetery, North East, Erie Co., Pa. He married, 2 December 1884 [*3], at Ripley, Chautauqua Co., N.Y., EMMA SARAH PARKER, born 26 September 1865 [*4] at Harbor Creek; died 31 March 1907 [*5], in Harborcreek Twp., aged 41-6-5; buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, North East. She was a daughter of Marlin and Eliza (Gray) Parker.

The 1860 census of Erie County, Pennsylvania, showed Henry Adams, aged 5, living with

*1 *From letters of Henry's daughter, Norah (Adams) Cook, to compiler, 1951 and later.*
*2 *Ibid; also corroborated by newspaper obituary (see page 318).*
*3 *Ibid.*
*4 *Ibid.*
*5 *Ibid.; see also her obituary (text on page 317).*

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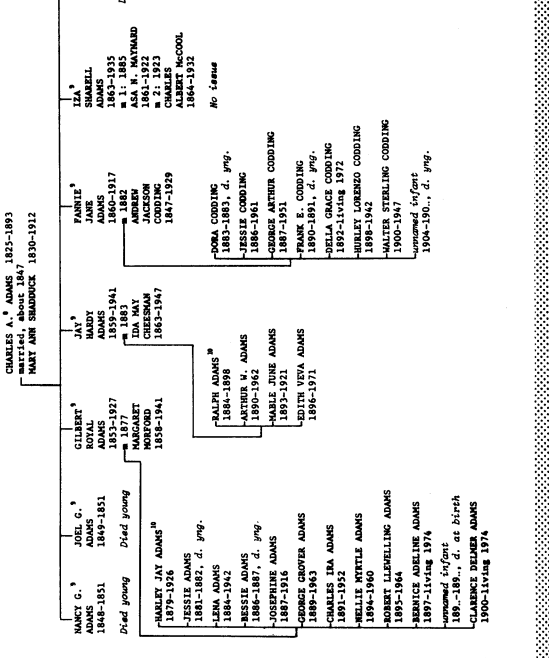

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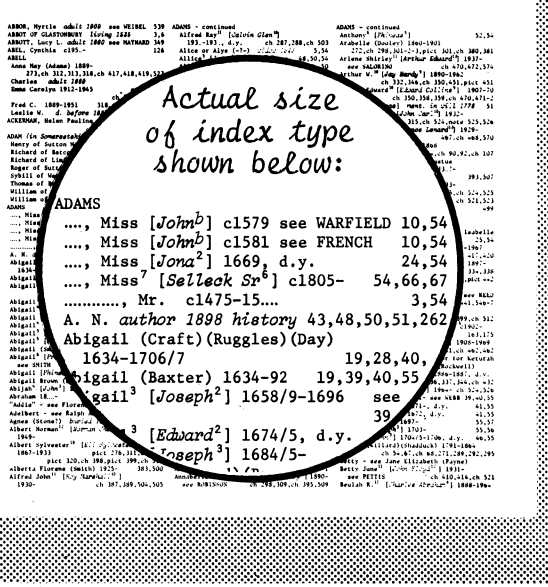

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About the author . . .

Interested in genealogy since her teens, Mrs. Adams was founder and former editor of the *Bulletin of the Seattle Genealogical Society;* compiler of several books, such as *THE MAURER FAMILY; GOLDEN MEMORIES OF TIBBETTS (a church history);* and *OUR BATEMAN ANCESTRY.* The latter book shared a second-place award in the 1972 Parker contest sponsored by the Maryland Historical Society. Mrs. Adams' name was added in 1972 to a list of 116 persons in the United States who are rated as "Certified Genealogists".

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The Adams history represents a quarter-century of dedicated research into many original sources; a tremendous expenditure of money for vital records, deeds, wills, and similar documentation. Literally thousands of letters have been written to obtain, direct from living descendants, their family records and pictures. Comparable books are priced at considerably more than the modest sum at which this book is offered.

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Adams Family

Victor Adams
1336 New York St.,
Lawrence KS 66044

October 8, 1990

It seems that the Benjamin F. who married Lyda Slavens is not the same as the Benjamin F. who married Jane Scoggin. The Benjamin married to Lyda was born in Kentucky in 1861, and his father Isaac was born in Virginia. The Benjamin who married Jennie Scoggin was born in 1859 in Indiana, however, the application does not give the birthplace of his parents. Both marriages were their second. Enclosed are their marriage applications.

I found six Isaac Adams in various counties on the 1850 Indiana census, but none of them had a wife Mary. On the 1860 census I found an Isaac with a wife Mary and an 8 month Benjamine. A copy is enclosed of the census and also of the index that listed the Isaacs, Marys and the Benjamins. I also included the county codes.

I did not find a Marvin Scoggin in the 1850 or 1860 Indiana census index. We do not have a state index for the 1870 Indiana census, only for Vigo county. I did not find Marvin Scoggin or Isaac Adams listed.

Enclosed is a copy of a Mary Adams on the 1870 Vigo county census, with a son Benjamin, age 11.

Thanks for the $2.00 to cover the cost of copies and postage.

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I WOULD LIKE COPIES OF BOTH MARRIAGE APPLICATIONS FOR F.B. ADAMS, AND THE 1870 CENSUS RECORD WHICH LISTS MARY ADAMS (HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD) AND HER FOUR CHILDREN. ENCLOSED PLEASE FIND A SMALL SUM OF MONEY FOR COSTS. AND THANK YOU.

3rd ward p. 486

IT IS NOT QUITE CLEAR TO ME WHETHER WE ALSO EXHAUSTED YOUR INDICES LOOKING FOR ISAAC ADAMS AND MARY JANE GRAY AS WELL AS MARVIN SCOGGIN

Isaac Adams - Mary Jane Gray
Census
Vigo 1870 - no
Vigo 1860 - no
IND 1850 - Sullivan Co. p 201 Hoddertop
Isaac, but wife name isn't Mary J.
over

Marvin Scoggin
Census
Vigo 1870 - no
Vigo 1860 - no
Jnt ~~Vigo~~ 1850 - no

Madison,	Adams twp	147	no
Miami	Perry	144	no
Shelby	Hanover	382	no
St. J.	Harris	93	no
Bosc	Jackson	370	no.

AND MARY JONES, DID WE DO SO OR DO I NEED TO FORMALIZE A REQUEST. I DON'T WISH TO SOUND GREEDY, BUT YOURS IS MY ONLY CONNECTION AT THIS POINT.

SINCERELY,

Victor Adams

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Adams Family

Rose M. Burriss

Senith Bryant
Married to Frank
Adams Nov. 1882.
Died Sept. 1888.

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OBITUARY OF ELIZABETH LAURILLA HOLLER

Elizabeth Laurilla Holler, daughter of Clifford and Amanda Adams was born in the town of Burnett, Indiana, October 3rd 1910 and departed this life at the Union Hospital in Terre Haute, Indiana on December 13, 1954, at the age of 44 years, 2 months, and 1/10 days.

She was united in marriage to Chester Holler at Terre Haute, Indiana on August 8th 1932. To this union was born one son, Jimmie Dale.

Surviving Mrs. Holler are the husband, Chester; one son, Jimmie Dale, a grandson, Kerry D[redacted], parents Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Adams, one sister, Mrs. Leona Cox of Fontanet, Ind. One brother Byron Adams of Detroit, Michigan, several aunts, uncles, neices, nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Holler was a charter member of the re-organized Mt. Aetna Baptist Church, and a member of the Mt. Aetna Neighbors Club and the Nevins Township Home Economics Club.

Lizzie, as she was known by her relatives and friends was an obedient child, faithful companion, loving mother, and a true friend; always being interested in her own household and the welfare of parents and friends as well. She did many little deeds of kindness to help those less fortunate than herself.

Truly we may say with the writer of old: "Her sun is gone down while it is yet day" and as the shadows fall at noonday with a hiding sun, so are the lives o'er shadowed that were brightened by her life; but a ray of hope will light the path providing cheer in her absence for all who care for her.

Life's short day has ended
While yet shines the noonday sun
For us just a little waiting
'till the land of "No Setting Sun."

This Obituary prepared
December 15, 1954 by
Rev. Harry H. Howell

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Rose M. (Cox) Burris

-OBITUARY-

Amanda ~~Melinda~~ MELVINA Adams, daughter of William and Laurilla Bailey, was born in Brazil, Indiana on September 9th, ~~1887~~ 1889 and departed this life at the Union Hospital, Terre Haute, Indiana a few minutes past midnight, Tues. May 3rd.1955 at the age of ~~66~~ 65 years, 7 months, ~~25~~ 26 days.

She was married to Clifford Adams in Terre Haute, Indiana on May 10, 1906. To this union was born two daughters: Leona, and Elizabeth and One son, Byron.

Surviving are the Husband, One daughter, Leona Cox of Brazil, Ind.R.R.#1 One son, Byron of Detroit, Mich. another daughter, Elizabeth Holler preceeding her in death on Dec.13, 1954, 8 Grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren, One sister, Mrs. Mary Miestril of Plainville, Kan., two brothers, Fred of Terre Haute, R.R. #6, and Joseph of Brazil, R.R. #1, three brothers, William, Jim,and George preceeding her in death.

Mrs. Adams was a member of the Mt. Eatna Baptist Church and the Mt. Aetna Neighbors Club.

Mrs. Adams, or "Mandy" as she was affectionally called began failing in health several years ago and has been subject to ill health since that time. When she was raising her family she always found that there home was a desired place and proved herself a congenial hostess for there friends and these of her children. A host of neices, nephews, cousins and friends mourn her passing, but will rejoice that the "Sorrows of life" are o'er for Her, knowing SHE has been: "Carried by the angels to the land of rest, Music sweetly Sounding thro' the skies; Welcomed by the Saviour to the heavenly feast, GATHered with the loved in Paradise."

This Obituary written by
Harry H "Red" Howell - 5/5/55

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Rose M. (Cox) Burris

(1)

Phoebe Lautisha Stultz was the daughter of William and Tisha Stultz. She was born in Vigo Co. Ind. Jan. 9. 1870.

Departed this life March 29-1929 at the age of 59 years 2 months and 20 days.

Her entire life has been spent in the county and vicinity of her birth.

In her early girlhood she united with the church at Sulphur Springs, making that noble confession at the age of 13 years.

Since it was 46 yrs. ago at this very place

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she made the start of a Christian and through all these years she has lived a devoted Christian.

In later years after uniteing with the church at this place she became identified with the Baptist church at Mt. Etna, and years after in 1913, on Oct. 13. she placed her membership with the church at N. Terre Haute.

On April 24-1889 she was united in marriage to Frank Ridaum, and to them was born six children, three of which have preceded her in death. Only a few months ago she was preced by a daughter, Gladys.

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and the strain of grief was too much for one broken in health as she was at that time and she now so soon has followed on to that great beyond from whose bourne no traveler returns.

For the past 20 years she has resided in N. Terre Haute where she had made a host of friends who esteemed her most highly.

"Aunt Lou" as they all called her was a friend to everyone she knew, Loved by all for her goodness and kindness to every one.

She was patient in her affliction and bore her suffering with a Christian fortitude that bears out or exemplifies

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a Christian life well lived. Her last sickness and her passing away has been at the home of her step son Clifford Adams, and I feel that this obituary would be incomplete without giving credit and praise to him and his wife and family for their untiring kindness and attention to her in her long suffering. Every attention was given to comfort her, no task was left undone. This is indeed commendable for an own son, or daughter could not, nor would not have done more.

In the life that she has lived, we feel, there

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was that beauty of Holiness
to render all of her actions
pleasing and acceptable
to Him who has said
"Come unto Me" all
ye who are weary and
heavy laden and I
will give you rest.
Further passing from
among us she has
two daughters,
Mrs. Mary Adams of
Charleston, Ills.
Mrs Blanche Spence of
Wilkesbarre Pa. and son
Homer Adams also
of Wilkesbarre, Pa.
One step son, Clifford
Adams, who was all
that a son could be,
also the forgiven
husband Frank Adams.

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Three half brothers and
Three half sisters;
Nine grandchildren
other near relatives
and near and dear
friends by the score

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Rose M. (Cox) Burriss

Obituary.
of Frank Adams.

In a quaint old fashioned homestead up in Nevins Township near Sulphur Springs on August 2-1863 Frank Adams was born. The son of Joel and Matilda Adams.

He was the youngest of a family of 14 children, all the brothers and sisters have long since preceded him in death.

This old homestead a land mark of long ago in that community has long since been replaced by a more modern house. Here in this old fashioned home with his elder brothers and sisters he grew to manhood.

In 1882 he was united in marriage to Benith Bryant to this union was born two children, Ted and Clifford. Ted had preceded his father in death in early childhood in 1889.

He was again married

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to Louisha Stultz to this union was born six children, 5 daughters and one son. Three daughters in early life had passed to their final rest.

For a man of his age, past his 84th mile-stone, he was active, had retained all of his faculties and was in good health up until a few weeks ago when he underwent an operation at the hospital from which he never fully recovered.

After leaving the hospital he was taken to the home of his son Clifford but later had to be returned to the hospital where he quietly passed away.

Frank was a familiar figure here at this Funeral Home. Seldom was he absent from the funerals of any one of his friends or acquaintances.

In his passing he is the

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last of his family of eleven brothers and two sisters.
Of his children he leaves two sons. Clifford Adams, Terre Haute R 6
Homer Adams of N. " "
Mrs. Mary Adams, Bakersfield, Cal.
Mrs. Blanche Spence, Cassville, W. Va.
He also leaves 9 grandchildren 16 great grandchildren and 2 great, great grandchildren besides a great number of nieces and nephews and a very large circle of friends

His pall bears his Golden Jubilee

6 sons which is a very unusual coinsident.

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Rose M. (Cox) Burriss

Frank Adams Family.

Marriages.

Frank Adams & Louisha Stults was Married April 24, 1889

Clifford Adams & Amanda Bailey was Married May. 10-1906.

Joe Spence & Blanch Adams was Married Feb. 23.-1918.

Earn Meeker & Glayds Adams was Married April 4.-1920.

David Cox & Leoan Adams was Married July 26.-1923.

Chester Waller & Lizzie Adams was Married July 22.-1932

Ralph Spence & Katherine Mitchel was married March-19-1936

Homer Kenneth & Thyrsa Spence was Married May. 25-1941.

Byron Adams & Mary Yocume was Married June. -1934.

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Births of Frank Adams Children,

~~Died Nov 27 - 1929~~

Frank Adams - Augst - 2 - 1863.
Phoebe Lautisha Adams. Jan. 9. 1870
Ted Adams Aug. 22. 1885. D 1889
Clifford Adams Feb. 22. 1887.
Mary Matilda July - 14 - 1890.
Julia Josephine Adams. May. 2 1893.
Lona Blanche Adams. June. 4. 1894.
Laura Hazel Adams. Nov. 16 - 1897.
Homer Frank Adams. March. 29 - 1899.
Gladys Marie Adams. Dec. 20. 1901.

(Grand Kids) of Frank Adams,

Ralph Wayne - Spence, Nov. 19. 1912.
Homer Kenneth Spence. April. 8. 1921.
Joseph Rogers Spence. Sept. 7. 1887
Nola Maxine Spence. Oct. 26. 1935
Richard Arlen Spence June. 14. 1938
Katherine Spence. Dec. 28. 1914.
Thyra Xeanoda Spence, Aug. 9. 1923.

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Deaths,

Ted. Adams died Nov. 8-1889
Julia Josephine " Oct. 30-1894
Laura Hazel " Jan. 20-1896
Gladys Marie " Oct. 6. 1928.
Phoebe Lutisha Adams died 29. 1929

Adams Family

David E. Gregg
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March 2, 1994

The copies you requested are enclosed. You will notice that the family group sheets indicate that many of the Adams children married cousins. I think the Adams, Nevins, Crooks, McAfee, Woods, Curry, and other early Parke county families were so intertwined that sometimes I wonder how Ruby sorted them out.

I did know about my Samuel's trip to Kentucky as Ruby did quite a lot of research on him. The McAfee expedition is written up in Collins' History of Kentucky, volume one, pages 606-608, the "Life and Times of Robert B. McAfee" published in the Register of the Kentucky Historical Society, and the Woods-McAfee Memorial, which Ruby copied for me. I loved the part when Samuel shot at the herd of buffalo, which promptly stampeded and ran everybody up trees. Apparently Samuel didn't stop exploring because he came to Indiana at an early date. His daughter Margaret married Robert Mitchell and had a son William Durrow Mitchell, among others. Wm. D. lived to a ripe old age and had three wives and 17 children, the youngest of whom (my grandfather) was born when he was 65.

Thanks for the $5.00.

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Nancy Sherrill
Genealogy Librarian

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4 photo prints = .40
$3.50
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5.17

Dear Nancy Sherrill,

I just received your letter and was very pleased to hear from you. It appears that we may be related. My 8th great grandparents were William Adams and Mary Walker, the ones you mentioned in your letter. They had a daughter named Ann that married a Samuel Adams. I come through Samuel and Ann's daughter, Margaret that married William Nevins. Your 3rd great grandpa, Samuel Adams, was a brother to my 7th great grandma Ann (Adams) Adams.

Do you know a lot about your Samuel Adams? Mary (Walker) Adams was a sister to my 8th great grandma, Margaret (Walker) McCoun, wife of John McCoun. I have tons of information about these families but I have some missing links that I hope you can help me with. Do you have the information of your Samuel Adams and his trip into Kentucky in 1773? Samuel's first cousin Ann (McCoun) McAfee was my 7th great grandma. She was married to Robert McAfee. In 1773, Robert and two of his brothers, James and George McAfee, formed the McAfee Company. This Company included your Samuel Adams and Ann's brother, James McCoun, Jr., Robert's brother-in-law. I have a copy of Robert and James McAfee's diaries.

What I need right now is the group sheets for each of the children of:

From the "Adams Connection

√William Adams and Mary (Walker) Adams

√Samuel Adams and Ann (Adams) Adams daughter of William above.

Also I keep running into a Martin Adams who was born in √Mercer Co., Ky. in the 1700s and went to Indiana. Do the papers mention him? Anything I have I will share with you.

I also need copies from three books.

√1. HISTORY OF VIGO COUNTY: by Henry C. Bradsby.
pp. 213-214, 296, 350-360, 656, 674, 755, 838.

√2. GREATER TERRE HAUTE AND VIGO COUNTY: by Charles O. Oakey
p. 813

√3. WHEN TERRE HAUTE WAS YOUNG, from the Terre Haute Tribune: by Augustus R. Markle
Vol. I, pp. 62, 107 Vol. II, p. 27

I am sending two family tree charts beginning with my 4th great grandparents. I don't know how much this will cost me so I hope the check will cover it.

Thank You,

David E. Gregg

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Florence, Ala.
35630 I'm from Terre Haute

David E. Gregg

19-Feb-1994

James Crooks

James Crooks
Born 225
in Pennsylvania
Marr
in ?
Died
in Parke County, Indiana

Samuel Crooks
Marr 207
in Bullitt Co., Ky.

? Harrod
Born 226
in Pennsylvania
Died
in ?

James N. Crooks
Died 197
in Parke Co., Ind.

Margaret Russell
208

Mary Jane Crooks
Born ca. 1831 192
in Parke Co., Ind.
Marr Sept. 10, 1848
in Parke Co., Ind.
Died Nov. 27, 1859
in Parke Co., Ind.
Spouse Elliott Nevins

James Nevins
Born ca. 1731 367

Henry Nevins, Sr.
Born ca. 1760 203
in New York?
Died 1810-1820
in Jessemine Co., Ky.?

?
Born ? 368

William B. Nevins
Born ca. 1781 356
in Ky. / N.C.
Marr 1806
in Mercer Co., Ky.
Died ca. 1845
in Parke Co., Ind.

Susan Morlin
Born ca. 1762 204
in Ky.
Died Jan. 25, 1875?
in Ky.

Anna Nevins
Born ca. 1807 198
in Mercer Co., Kentucky
Died 1870
in Parke Co., Ind.

Samuel Adams
Born 231
in ?
Died
in Mercer Co. Ky?

Margaret Adams
Born ca. 1778 210
in Botetourt Co., Va.
Died Nov. 23, 1839
in Parke Co., Ky.

William Adams
233

Ann Adams
Born 232
in Virginia

Mary Walker
Sister 234

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James Nevins
Born ca. 1731 367
in Scotland
Died
in Mass.

Henry Nevins, Sr.
Born ca. 1760 203
in New York?
Died 1810-1820
in Jessemine Co., Ky.?

?
Born ? 368
in ?

Henry Nevins
Born Aug. 9, 1791 195
in Jessemine Co., Kentucky
Marr 1816
in Mercer Co., Kentucky
Died Nov. 28, 1882
in Parke Co., Ind.

Susan Morlin
Born ca. 1762 204
in Ky.
Died Jan. 25, 1875?
in Ky.

m 4th great grandpa

Elliott Nevins
Born Nov. 11, 1823 191
in Parke Co., Ind.
Marr Sept. 10, 1848
in Parke Co., Ind.
Died Sept. 15, 1858
in Parke Co., Ind.
Spouse Mary Jane Crooks

James Currans
205

Sarah Currans
Born Jan. 8, 1798 196
in Mercer Co., Kentucky
Died Jan. 25, 1875
in Parke Co., Ind.

James McAfee
213

Robert McAfee
Born 211
in Lancaster Co., Penn.
Died
in New Orleans, La.

Jane McMichael
214

Sarah McAfee
Born 206
in Mercer Co., Ky.

James McCoun
215

Ann McCoun
Born 212
in Virginia

Margaret Walker

216

Adams Family

Victor Adams
1336 New York St.
Lawrence KS 66044

September 19, 1990

Enclosed are research reports listing the sources I checked for Benjamin Adams and Franklin B. Adams.

The only Benjamin Adams I found in Vigo county on the 1860 census was a one year old Benj. F., son of Nathaniel and Susan.

However, according to the W.P.A. Index to Birth Records in Vigo County, on 29 November 1883, a male was born to an F.B. Adams (the initials were probably reversed in typing the index) and Jane Scoggin. When I checked the marriage application of Benjamin F. Adams and Jane Scoggin, Benjamin was the son of Isaac and Mary J. Gray.

On Benjamin's application for marriage to Jennie Scoggin, he said it was his second. But on his application for marriage to Lyda Slavens, he said it was also his second. The Benjamin F. that married Mary Greggs, could or could not have been the Benjamin that was the son of Isaac and Mary J. Marriage applications began in 1882, and before, the marriage license only gave the name of the bride and groom, date of marriage, and by whom they were married.

I did not find an Isaac and Mary Jane with a one year old Benjamin on the 1860 Indiana census. Could they have come here from another state?

I also did not find an Isaac on the 1870 Vigo county census. But I did find a Mary with an eleven year old Benjamin. Lewis was also listed in the family, and I did find a Lewis, who was the son of Isaac and Mary, married in 1882.

The 1880 Soundex index only lists households with children 10 or under. This family would not show up in the index, as the youngest child would be 16 by 1880.

Perhaps you could write to Vigo County Health Dept. Vital Statistics, 201 Cherry St., Terre Haute IN 47807, and get the birth certificate of the child born to F.B. Adams and Jane Scoggin.

If you want copies of the marriage applications or census, the charge is 10 or 15 cents per page, depending on size, plus postage.

Mary-Margaret

Mary-Margaret Iacoli
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Did not find ✓ Found _____

2. Surname File:
Did not find _____ Found Adams Family (no Benjamin)

3. Vigo County, Indiana, Index of Names of Persons and of Firms (in the county histories)
Did not find ✓ Found _____

4. Vigo County, Indiana, Marriage Licenses from 1818 to 1850:
Did not find _____ Found _____

5. W.P.A. Index to Marriage Record, Vigo County, 1840-1920:
Did not find _____ Found ✓ (over)

6. W.P.A. Index to Death Record, Vigo County, 1882-1920:
Did not find _____ Found ✓ Benjamin Franklin age 55 d. 6 May 1915

7. Cemetery Records of Vigo County, Including All Born Prior to 1830 That Lived to Maturity:
Did not find ✓ Found _____

8. Cemeteries, Vigo County, Indiana (4 vols.):
Did not find ✓ Found _____

9. Woodlawn Cemetery, Terre Haute, Vigo County IN, Index of Burials Vol. 1 1839-1899 vol. 2 1900-March 1983:
Did not find ✓ Found _____

10. Census Index for the year 1860:
Did not find _____ Found Benj F. age 1 b IN

1870 - No Isaac, but I found a Mary with a son Benjamin (over) Nathaniel Adams age 21 b IN laborer
1900 - Saunders - No. Susan 22 b IN

Other: (also check other side)

W.P.A. INDEX TO VIGO County Births 1882-1920

ADAMS (Male) b. to F R (?) and Jennie SCOGGIN 29 NOV 1883

(5.) (a) Adams, Benjamin F. M. Mary Greggs 26 apr 1879

(b) Adams Benj. age 24, Father Isaac, Mother Mary J. Gray
15, Dec, 1883 2nd marriage
M. Jennie Scoggin 23, Father Marvin Scoggin
Mother Mary Jones 1st marriage.

(c.) Adams, Benjamin F. b 11 Jan 1861
29 Nov. 1911 Divorced 1 Marriage 2nd. (?)
Father Isaac, Mother Jane Gray
M. Lyda Stevens b. 4 July 1862
Widow 1 Marriage 2nd.
Father John Weir. Mother Georgia Weir.

1870 Virgo County Census

Adams, Mary	30
Lewis	13
Benjamin	11
Elza	8
Henrietta	6

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Did not find ✓ Found _____

2. Surname File:
Did not find _____ Found Adams Family - (no Franklin Benjamin)

3. Vigo County, Indiana, Index of Names of Persons and of Firms (in the county histories)
Did not find ✓ Found _____

4. Vigo County, Indiana, Marriage Licenses from 1818 to 1850:
Did not find _____ Found _____

5. W.P.A. Index to Marriage Record, Vigo County, 1840-1920:
Did not find ✓ Found (found a Franklin that was married in 1885)

6. W.P.A. Index to Death Record, Vigo County, 1882-1920:
Did not find ✓ Found _____

7. Cemetery Records of Vigo County, Including All Born Prior to 1830 That Lived to Maturity:
Did not find ✓ Found _____

8. Cemeteries, Vigo County, Indiana (4 vols.):
Did not find ✓ Found _____

9. Woodlawn Cemetery, Terre Haute, Vigo County IN, Index of Burials Vol. 1 1839-1899 vol. 2 1900-March 1983:
Did not find ✓ Found _____

10. Census Index for the year _____:
Did not find _____ Found _____

Other: (also check other side)

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DEAR MS/MRS. IACOLI:

THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF SEPT. 6. I BELIEVE I UNDERSTAND YOUR PROCEDURES NOW. I FIND THAT THEY VARY WIDELY ACROSS THE COUNTRY. MICHIGAN'S VITAL RECORDS ARE NOT EVEN OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

AS I UNDERSTAND, YOU WILL SEARCH ANY INDEXED RECORDS IN YOUR COLLECTION AND MAKE COPIES OF PERTINENT RECORDS OR DOCUMENTS. I GATHER FROM THIS THAT YOURS MUST BE A REMARKABLY ORGANIZED COLLECTION, AND A CREDIT TO YOU AND YOUR COUNTY. NOT ALL STATES AND

COUNTIES ARE AS CONVINCED OF THE IMPORTANCE OF VITAL STATISTICS,

I SEEK REFERENCES IN YOUR COLLECTION TO: FRANKLIN BENJAMIN ADAMS B. 11-29-1882 IN TERRE HAUTE AND/OR BENJAMIN ADAMS B. ~1855-60 WHERE ABOUTS UNKOWN.

IF YOUR SEARCH FOR THESE NAMES INCLUDES ALL THE RECORDS INDICATED IN THE BROCHURE YOURS TRULY IS A SPECIAL COLLECTION.

SINCERELY

Victor Adams

Adams Family

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February 16, 1994

We don't have the actual Clay county marriage records on microfilm. We only have the W.P.A. index, which you have probably seen. For a copy of the marriage you should contact the Clay County Courthouse, Clerk's Office, 1206 E. National Ave., Brazil IN 47834-2797, or borrow the microfilmed marriage records through the nearest LDS Family History Center.

We do have the Adams Connection, but it can't be sent out on interlibrary loan. It actually consists of four large notebooks of family group sheets and photocopied records. Volume one is on the descendants of William and Mary (Walker) Adams, volume two is on the descendants of William Greer and Mary (Adams) Adams, volume three is on John and Mary (Evans) Adams and William and Mary (Sale) Adams, and volume four is on the descendants of Samuel and Anne (Adams) Adams. There is some duplication as William Greer Adams and John Adams were sons of Samuel and Anne (Adams) Adams and the William Adams who married Mary Sale was a son of John. By the way, the Mary Adams who married William Greer was a sister of my gg grandmother Margaret (Adams) Mitchell. Ruby didn't index any of her notebooks. She did divide them up into sections on each child of the couple whom the book is about, but it's still hard to find people, especially ones several generations removed from the original Adams ancestor.

We do have History and Families, Parke County, and I am sending copies pages 115 and the index. The index is for the family history section only.

Thanks for the $1.00.

Nancy Sherrill
Genealogy Librarian

Sent $1.00

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59
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Feb. 8, 1994
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To whom it may concern,

I need a copy of a marriage record from Clay County, Indiana. I understand that you have this on micro-film. The record I am looking for is: No!!

Book 17 Page 535

WILLARD BROWN to DAISY NEVINS Dec. 20, 1913.

Also, do you have a book called THE ADAMS CONNECTION, by Ruby Cronk? Can I get it on inter-library loan? No

Do you have the book, HISTORY AND FAMILIES, PARKE COUNTY, INDIANA, 1821-1989, (PARKE COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY, 1989)? yes If you do does it have an index? I need a copy of page 115.

Thank you for your time. I look forward to hearing from you.

Thank You,
David E. Gregg
David E. Gregg

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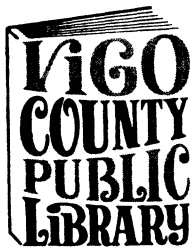
Thanks so much for checking on my Ammi ADAMS ancestor. I was interested in the information you sent on the CONDIT family. I am going to check further on another CONDIT in the ADAMS family and if I learn anything relating to the Condits you mentioned I will send the information to you.

Thanks again

Alice Lackey
Roseburg, Or
97470

Adams Family



Alice Lackey
739 S.E.Kane
Roseburg, OR 97470

May 30, 1989

I am enclosing a research report listing the sources I checked for your ancestor. As you can see, I only found two references to Ammi Adams - that he was here in 1840 and sold land in 1841. However, I did not find any record of when he bought that land. Section 10, Township 13 North, Range 10 West is in Fayette township, almost on the Vigo/Vermillion county line and also close to the Illinois state line. I think your Ammi Adams only remained here a short time.

I was intrigued by the Condit wife. There was a very prominent Condit family here. Rev. Blackford Condit, pastor of the Baldwin Presbyterian Church, was born in Sullivan county in 1829 and came to Terre Haute with his parents in 1831. He attended Wabash College and married Sarah Mills, daughter of Caleb Mills of Wabash College. Caleb Mills was the second superintendent of Public Instruction in Indiana and is considered the father of public instruction in Indiana. The 1860 house in which Blackford and Sarah lived is now on the campus of Indiana State University and is used as the residence of the university president. Blackford's parents were Daniel Dayton Condit (b.1797 in Hanover N.J. and d. 1877 in Terre Haute) and Charlotte Theresa Coon (b. 1802 and d. 1882 in Indianapolis). I did not find any mention of your Teresy Condit, who was born in 1810, but I wonder if she was somehow connected with this Condit family.

Nancy Sherrill

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in response to your request of 5-19-89.

(1.) Miscellaneous Card File:
Did not find Ammi, etc. Found Other Adams

(2.) Surname File:
Did not find Ammi Found Other Adams. Condit file does not mention Teresy who married Adams. However, a Rev. Blackford Condit was son of Daniel Dayton Condit + Charlotte Theresa (Coven)

(3.) Vigo County, Indiana, Index of Names of Persons and of Firms (in the county histories)
Did not find Ammi, Teresy, etc Found David Adams - 1879 Atlas p 30

(4.) Vigo County, Indiana, Marriage Licenses from 1818 to 1850:
Did not find Ammi + Teresy Found Other Adams

(5.) W.P.A. Index to Marriage Record, Vigo County, 1840-1920:
Did not find David, Elisha Found Other Adams

6. W.P.A. Index to Death Record, Vigo County, 1882-1920:
Did not find _____ Found _____

7. Cemetery Records of Vigo County, Including All Born Prior to 1830 That Lived to Maturity:
Did not find _____ Found _____

8. Cemeteries, Vigo County, Indiana (4 vols.):
Did not find _____ Found _____

9. Woodlawn Cemetery, Terre Haute, Vigo County IN, Index of Burials Vol. 1 1839-1899 vol. 2 1900-March 1983:
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(10.) Census Index for the year 1820-50 IN, 1850 IL
Did not find _____ Found Ammi Adams only listed in 1840 Vigo Co. Census. Not in IN or IL 1850 Census Index

Other: (also check other side)

#2. Coon - Blackford Condit was born 1829. Charlotte Theresa (Coon) Condit was b. 1802 + d. 1881. Could your Teresy have been related to these Condits?

Grantor/Grantee Index to Vigo County Deeds 1818-1860

Adams, Ammi to William Bandy - Deed Received for Record 27 March 1845 Date of Deed 18 July 1841 NW1/4 SW1/4 Sec. 10 T13N R10W 40 acres - Warrantee Deed #210 Book 10 p 302

I did not find any record of when Ammi bought this land.

RESEARCHING

ADAMS (ELIJAH)

BARTOW

BROWN (ELEANOR)

BRUCE

CAMPBELL (ELIZA)

CUPPLES

DUER

GLASS (GEORGE)

HAINES (HENRY)

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LANE (HEZEKIAH)

MOATS

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PARMENTER

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PREDMORE

PURDY

ROGERS (AGNES)

SEIFORD

THURSTON

VAIL (S)

WAUGH

WEIL (BERNARD F.)

WITTERS

WYCOFF (WYCKOFF)

YERKESE

739 S.E. Kane
Roseburg, Or. 97470
May 19, 1989

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Dear Librarian:

I am seeking information on the brother of my great-great-great grandfather. Ammi ADAMS was listed in the 1840 census as being a resident of Vigo Co. Fayette Twp. He was born 26 July 1808 in Luzerne Co. Penn and died at the home of his brother in Ill. in 1865. He was married to Teresy CONDIT (b. 1810 ?) who died in 1865 8 January? in Illinois.

Children of Ammi and Teresy were Sallie, Diane, Phoebe, David, and Elisha. Elisha may have married Mary McCracken and died in the Civil War. David may also have been in the Civil War.

I know nothing of this family other than what I have stated above, and I would very much like to know more.

Do you have any material on this family in your library? I would greatly appreciate any help you can give me in learning more about these Adams relatives.

Sincerely,

Alice Lackey

Alice Lackey

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Origen, bro. of Ebenezer III moved to Nelson, Pa in 1802 with Delon & Isaac Mills - Mary, their sister married Isaac Mills, 1805 - Origen returned to N.Y. Late 1805 - married, 1806, & moved to Lorrain Co 1821 thence to Wis. Chester, brother, settled in Nelson, O, 1806 - John, bro, settled at Garrettsville, O.

Origen - son of Eb. 3. - moved by Buckeye to N.Y. State & in 1834 to Nelson, O. Eb. 3 came to Nelson 1833

Adams Family

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Lydia Rockwood
Ruth Ellis
Elizabeth Sears
Mary Carpenter
Betsey Safford
Annie Griffey

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Terre Haute's poor would suffer from hunger and cold.
Babies would die as a result of ignorance and neglect.
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The homeless man would prey upon society.
Thousands would become permanent charges on public charity.
The physical, moral and spiritual stamina of our people would gradually decay.
Civic and human progress would be impossible.
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Henry - 8 sons 1 d. Adams Family

Edward - 14 children - 3 wives - 7 : 7

Henry - 8 " 5 sons 3 dau 3 wives

Ebenezer - 2 sons - 1 wife

" II. 11 child. 8 sons 3 dau 1 wife

" III. 8 " 4 - 4

Charles - 5 " 3 dau 2 S. 1 " 1 dau - died

Ebenezer I - b. Feb 11, 1734 - Providence, R.I.
d.
m. Oct 11, 1744 - settled in Becket, Mass

Elizabeth Sears

Ebenezer II - b. Aug 19, 1746 - Canterbury, Conn
d. Apr 19, 1788 - Becket, Mass. 52 yrs
m. Apr 30, 1770-1

Mary Carpenter
b. July 9, 1752
d. Nov 8, 1825 - 73 yrs
m. 2nd Nov 26, 1812-3 - Ephraim Gibbs
Blandford, Mass

Ebenezer III - b. July 27, 1779
d. Jan 16, 1857 age 78
m. Oct. 6(?) 1804

Betsy Gifford - Lee, Mass.
moved to Portage Co, Oh. Mch, 1833

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C-E

Eb - II - B - 1746 - m - 1770 - 1 - age 24-5
Enlisted 1776 - age 30
died 1798 age 52
Mary Carpenter Adams. B - 1752
mar. age 18 + 50-1
d - 1825 - age 73.
first child - b 1773 - x
2. Betsey - b Feb 25 1775
3. Ebenezer - 1777 - d 1779
4 " 1779
5. Elisha 1781 m

Adams Family

Eb - son of Dr. Peleg (Peleg
Henry 1693 b. Medway

Capt Eb. - son of Jos 3 (Jos 2 Hen
1704 - Braintree

Dea Eb.4 son of Capt Jos 3 (Ed 2 - Hen
b 1702-3

Eb 4 - son of Henry (Ed 1 Hen

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Henry. M-
1632
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28 same
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42 father d.

Thomas
1632 1642
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20
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34

1632 Samuel
17
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Jonathan
1632
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Peter
1632
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John
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Joseph
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Adams Samuel

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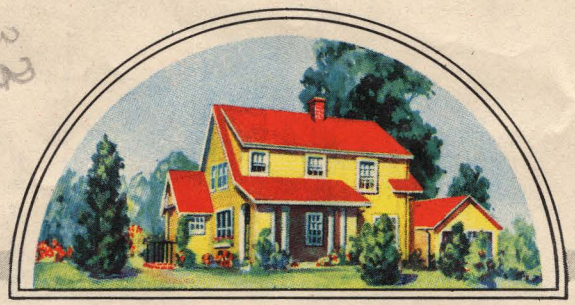

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Lydia Johnathan John Eliashib Sarah James Henry Mehitable Elisha Edward

David Hannah Solomon Henry Ruth Ebenezer Patience Joseph

Ebenezer II Barnabas

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Origen Salima Irad Betsey Lafford Chester John Mary Lydia.

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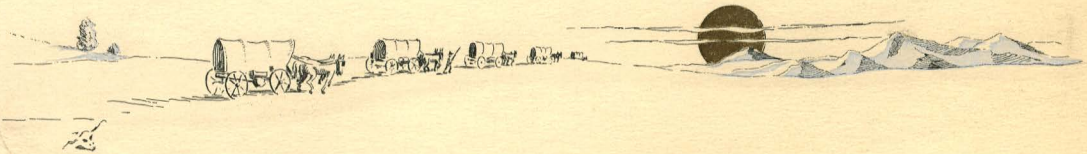

Adams Family

Annie C — Sept 28 — 1863 — 95 —
Louis July 5 — 1865 17
Chester July 20 1878 — 65 —
Annie b — 1828(?)

Chester & Annie May 25 1846
Maria april 1st. 47
Louis aug. 48 —
John B — 1850
Carrie B apr 25, 1852
Susan " June 13, 1856

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Syracuse, N.Y. Groton.

Eb. 1 - b. Prov. R.I. Feb 11 1704 - m. Oct 11, 1744 Canterbury
(age 40) Eliz. Sears - Settled in Becket Mass.

Eb II - b. Canterbury, Conn. Aug. 19, 1746 m Apr 30-1770 +
(about 24 or 25 yrs) Mary Carpenter (18 or 19) of Becket
went to Canterbury with parents about 1706.
Father (Henry) died 1748-9 (in Canterbury) then
settled in Becket after 1749.

~~Eb III - b Canterbury Aug 19 - 1746 - m Apr 3 - 17~~
bro. Barnabas b. Cant. Mch 12 - 1749. (1) m. pub.
Mch 12 - 1768 - Sarah Kingsley of Becket, d 1792
(2) m Jan 14 - 1796 - Fanny Caplin
Private - Capt Peter Porters Co, Col Benj. Simon's
Berk. Reg. Apr 26, 1777 - May 20 - 25 d., marched
to Saratoga N.Y. made will 1825 -

Eb. II - Corp Capt Wm Watkins Co. Col B. S. Bekreg
enlisted Dec 16, 1776 age 30 - 2 mo 9 d - Sick at Ti-
conderoga Feb 24, 1777. d Apr 19, 1798 age 52
Mary C.A. b July 9, 1752 - d Nov 8, 1825 - 73 yrs
m Ephraim Gibbs Nov 26 - 1812-3 - Blandford Mass

Children

1 - Elijah b Mch 1773 - prob d. young
2 - Betsey b Feb 25 - 1775 - less than 2 yrs old when
father enlisted - m & lived in Warren Mass d age 84 1859
3. Ebeneg - b Jan 3, 1777. d 1779 when father was in camp.
4. Ebeneg. b Jul 27, 1779 - same yr bro. Eb died.
m. pub Oct 6, 1804 - Betsey Gifford, Lee Mass. Becket
One child Origin b. Becket 1804-5 - others in
Groton, Tompkins Co N.Y. - Salima - 1807 (d in Tom
Irad, 1810, Betsey Gifford 1811, Chester Aug 4, 1812,
John 1814, Mary 1816, Lydia 1818.
5 - Elisha - 1781 - farmer d in Becket.
6. Barnabas - 1789 d age 13
7. Origin - 1786 -
8. Mary - 1790 -
9 Chester 1792 -
10 John 1794 -
1796 Flavia Oct 1799

Adams Family

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In 1802 - Origin aged 16 went with Delon & Isaac Mills to Nelson Portage Co. O. + Oct 1805 - Ebenezer was married in 1804 - Nov 27, 1805 Isaac m. Origins sister Mary (a little over 15 yrs of age) & took her back to Nelson; in 1806 Chester - then 14 yrs - settled in Nelson (father had died in 1798), the same yr. 1806 Origin married Anna Wilcox (mother Clemma Mills) prob. a niece of the Mills bros., but moved to a farm in Canton, Conn. till 1821 (35 yrs) when moved to N. Ridgeville, Loraine Co. Oh. (1000 acres) 2 m E Elyria Moved to Beaver Dam Wis 1844 then to Burns, La Cross Co Wis 1854 - d 1857.
John at some time went to Near Garrettsvill, O.
Chester m - in Nelson - had 6 children - d 1865 -

Eb. went to N.Y. bet. 1805 - 7.
Dan. Salinia m 3 times first in 1823 (16 yrs) - finally went to Iowa - John also m. & went to Iowa
Betsey Gifford m. Josiah Nash 1829 - 18 yrs. Dryden, N.Y. & they settled at Rockford, Ill.
In 1831, Origin m. at Dryden, Kitty Ann Lewis & went to Nelson Oh. in 1834. Father Eb III had gone there Mch 1833.
In Dec 1833 Lydia 15 yrs. m. Lyman Wm Wethy at Covington, Wyoming Co N.Y. moved to Aurora Ill
Jan 1, 1835 Mary 19 yrs m. Jas Kennedy at Covington moved to Bath, N.Y.
1838 Chester settled in T.H. m 1846.
Grad m in Syracuse & left wife

Lydia - lived in Pavilion, Genesee Co N.Y. till after 1858 all child. b. there - Jas[4], Henry Lyman[3], Fanny A & Edwin C - lived - Aurora prior to 1877

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June 8, 1945

The enclosed is a leaflet given to nurses applying for a position on the staff.

Miss Kleiser, Chr. of the Nursing Committee, Miss Dillon, and I revised the material, (this had not been changed since the association was organized) and ask that you look over same carefully and bring to the Board Meeting on Thursday 14th. any changes or suggestions you may have in mind before it is accepted by the Board.

Sincerely,

Aline S. Mergy

Aline S. Mergy, Dir.

ASM:PFK

Enclosure

1693
Eb - 4 (Henry - Peter, Dr Peter

1702
Eb - 4 (Henry - Ens Ed - Lt. Jas

1704
Eb - 4 (Henry - Ens Ed - Henry

1749
Eb 5 (Henry - Peter, Jno - Capt Jno

1719
Eb 5 (Henry - Peter, Dr Peter, Peter

1704
Capt Eb 4 (Henry - Joseph Joseph
Dea Eb 5 son

1753
Eb 6 - (Henry - Jos, Jas - Rev Jos Dr Jas

1762
Eb 6 - {Son of Capt Eb 4 ~~Dr Jas~~

1800
Eb 6 (Hen - Jas - Capt Peter, Peter 3 4 Jedediah

1682 4
Edw - (Ed - Jno 3 1668

1684
Edw Jr Hen - Ed - Edw

3 1668
Edw Jr (Henry - Ens Ed.)

Edw 5 (Hen Ed - Jno Edw)

Eb 5 (Hen - Ed - Jas Jas
Ed 5 " " " "

Adams Family

22 - 27 - 33 - 63 - 78 - 103 - 138 - 172 - 258

38, 275 308 / 362 368 - 377 414

670 785 822 841

265 306 - 489 - 492 569 604 - 656

709 727 729 763 827 856

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James Stuart Adams ?

Legend
B= Date of Birth
D= Date of Death
M= Date of Marriage
*= Buried at Prairie Ridge cemetery, Winfield, Kansas.

Per 1840 Census (M)

James Stuart Adams ?
B- D-

M

Margaret Ball
B- / /1822 D- / /1913

Buried at Valley Falls, Kansas Cemetery, on the East side. Daughter, Margaret Holbrook is buried in the same Lot. Grandaughter Rose Reichert and husband Miles have undated stone in same Lot. Rose was still living as of October 1989. (Told To Forrest Adams by Minnie Kempert in 1968 conversation.)

3/13/46

Sarah Marshall
B- D-

William Adams M
B- D-

Rebecca Jane Estes
B-8/21/1855 D-2/25/1908

David Louis Adams M
B-4/28/1851 D-12/22/1896
(See page 2 for geneology)

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B- D-

Joe Adams M
B- D-
buried in the Nortonville area

Dunton or Dutton
B D-

Mary (Mollie) Adams M
B D-
Probably resident in Wichita, Kansas area.

Howard Adams
B- D-
Possible residence in Holton-Wamego area.

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*James Adams ♂ M
B- D-

Albert Ott
B- D-

Anna Adams ♀ M
B- D-

B- D-

Ira Adams ♂ M
B- D-

Walter Adams ♂
B- D-

Rambo
B- D-
Left Rambo and moved to Portland, Ore.

Ida Adams ♀ M
B- D-

2nd Marriage
Tom Norris M
B- D-

Charley Adams ♂
B- D-

Joe Adams ♂
B- D-

Clarence Adams ♂
B- D-

Kempert
B- D-

Minnie Holbrook ♀
B- D-

Miles Reichert
B- D-

Rose Holbrook ♀
B-1901 D-

loc wife Ruby Leatha Hoffman

Roy Adams ♂ M

Helen

Marvin Adams ♂ M

Frank Reynolds

Iona Adams ♀ M

Bertha McCallister

*William Ott ♂ M

Eunice Haney

Ivan Ott ♂ M

Leona

Oliver (Ollie) Ott ♂ M

twins

William Yaden

Olla Ott ♀ M

Joseph Hayworth

Bertha Ott ♀ M

?
(Dutch) Miller

Norma Adams ♀ M

Nancy Norris ♀

Norris ♂

Contributed by Forrest as related to him by his Father, Grover Adams.

FORREST ADAMS
4704 DOBSON Circle
MANHATTAN KANS 66502
10/27/1992 PH. 913-539-4313

(M) Pw 1860 census

...nes Stuart Adams

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Quit-Claim Deed from Frank H. Adams to Samuel H. Adams

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FROM

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and

Lutitia Adams

TO

Samuel H. Adams

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Instructions for making Abstracts of Title; Information concerning the System of Survey of Lands with Reference to laws, etc.

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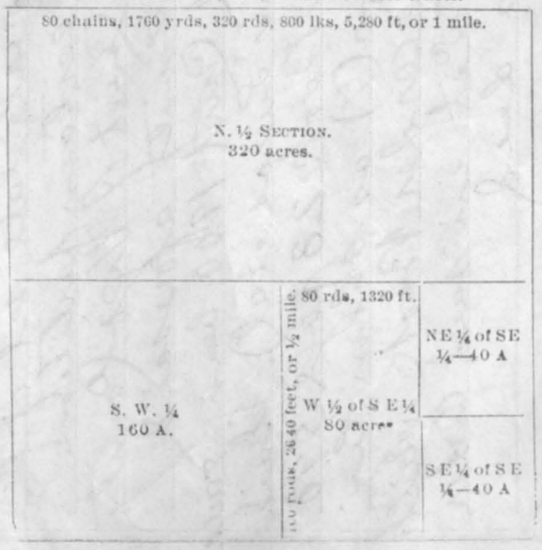
Abstracts of Title are to show all records of Deeds [beginning with old patent from the United States or certified copy of same from General Land Office], Mortgages, Mechanics', Vendors' or other liens; [if wife joins, giving her full name], ditch, railroad, gravel road or other assessments, leases annuities, mis-descriptions, irregularities, or anything casting a cloud over the title in the Recorder's office; Judgements in the courts rendered but not entered upon the dockets; back ten years before the party acquired the real estate; recognizances in criminal cases and judgements of forfeiture thereof; the "lis pendens" record provided for by the act of 1877, page 54, actions on bonds payable to the State of Indiana, including executors', administrators' and official bonds, which are liens upon real estate from commencement of action thereon; orders of attachment, executions and orders of sale in the Sheriff's office, not only as to present incumbent, but also his predecessors, the records of certificates upon the sale of real estate, upon executions or orders of sale issued upon judgement rendered in other counties, provided for by acts of 1878, taxes and tax sales, how and by whom judgements have been satisfied; also examine Marriage Record as to latest social status of owner of land.

DIAGRAM No. 3.

Shows the Subdivision of a Section.

Divided into 320, 160, 80 and 40 acre tracts.



EXPLANATIONS.

The public lands of the United States are divided into TOWNSHIPS, and these are subdivided into SECTIONS. The plan is: A true north and south line is run through the tract to be surveyed. This line is called the PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN. (At the end of every mile and half mile, and at the end of every six miles, stakes or other marks are set.) Through it a second line is run east and west, and divided and staked in the same way. The second line is called the BASE LINE. These two sets of lines divide the tract into CONGRESSIONAL TOWNSHIPS. [See diagram No. 1.]

The line of Tps. between two six-mile meridians is called a RANGE. The NUMBER of a Tp. shows its distance north or south of a base line. Its RANGE shows its distance east or west of a principal meridian.

Tps., though said to be square, are longer on their southern boundaries than on their northern ones. If this were not corrected the successive Tps. would be larger and larger south of the base line and smaller and smaller north of it. To prevent this, a parallel line, forming the northern boundary of a line of Tps., is taken as a new base line from which to run the subordinate meridians. This new base line is called a CORRECTION LINE or standard parallel. The Cong'l Tps. being more or less than just six miles square, the surplus or difference is taken from or added to the north half of the north half of the sections on the north line, and the west half of the west half of the sections on the west line thereof; this is why they are called fractional. Other meridians and parallels from the mile points are now run across the Tps., which are thus divided into 36 squares called SECTIONS, each containing one Sq. mile, and numbered as in diagram No. 2.

If the sections were perfect squares each would contain 640 acres or one Sq. mile. But their sizes vary for the same reason that the sizes of Tps. vary, in general the sect's in the northern part of a Tp. are some smaller than in the southern part, County surveyors subdivide into ½, ¼, 8th, 16, etc, See diagram No. 3.

The public lands of Indiana were surveyed from the second principal meridian, (except a strip which is west from and governed by the first principal meridian, commencing on the Ohio river near the s. w. corner of Switzerland county, in R. 4 w., running n. e., bounding the west line of Ohio and Dearborn counties and crossing the Ohio state line near the southeast corner of Jay county.) This begins on the Ohio river, on the boundary line between Crawford and Perry counties, and runs to the northern boundary of the State. The base line crosses the State about 12 miles north of New Albany. The first correction line is between Tps. 16 and 17 north, the second between Tps. 28 and 29 north on the west of the meridian, and Tps. 30 and 31 north, on the east of the meridian. Its length is 276 miles; average breadth 150 miles; has an area of 33,809 square miles, 22,157,810 acres; between latitude 37 deg. 47 min. and 41 deg. 46 min. north and longitude 84 deg. 48 min. and 88 deg. 2 min. west.

LAND MEASURE.

12 inches	make	1 foot
3 feet	"	1 yard
7 92-100 inches	"	1 link
25 links, 5½ yds., 16½ feet	"	1 rod or pole
100 links, or 66 feet or 4 rods	"	1 chain
10 chains long by one broad, or 10 sq. chains	make	1 acre
80 chains, 320 rds., 1760 yds., 5280ft. or 800 links	make	1 mi.

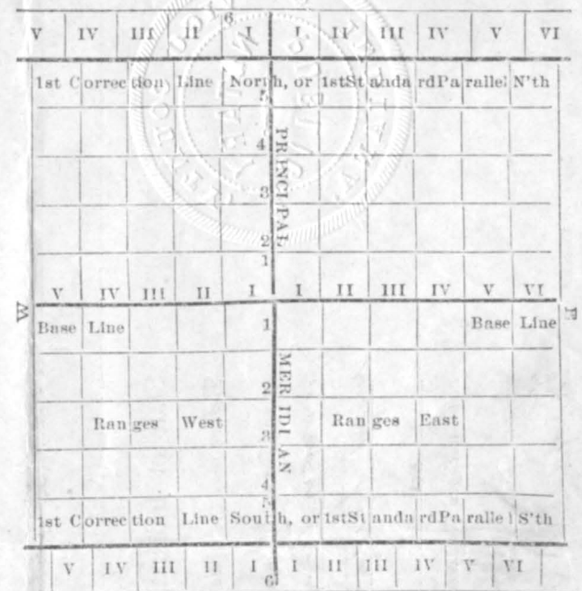
SURFACE MEASURE.

144 square inches	make	1 square foot	
9 " feet	"	1 "	yard
30¼ " yards	"	1 "	rod
160 sq. rods., or 43,560 sq. feet	"	1 "	acre
640 sq. acres	make	1 sq. mile or section.	

System of Survey of Public Lands,

Its division into Cong'l Tps., and Location.

DIAGRAM No. 1



In every Tp. in Ind., Sec. 16 is set apart for the support of the schools. Money from the sale or lease, being the basis of the school fund.

DIAGRAM No. 2.

Shows a Cong'l Tp. of 36 sec's and plan of numbering them.

6	5	4	3	2	1
7	8	9	10	11	12
18	17	16	15	14	13
19	20	21	22	23	24
30	29	28	27	26	25
31	32	33	34	35	36

NOTE—All names should be written and signed in full, and not by their initials. If the party is single who signs the instrument so state. If heirs, state the whole number of them and whose heirs, and how they acquired their title, if by will or otherwise.

This Indenture Witnesseth, That Frank W. Adams and Lutitia Adams his wife

of Vigo County, in the State of Indiana

RELEASE and QUIT CLAIM to Samuel H. Adams

of Washington County, in the State of Idaho

for and in consideration of One DOLLARS

the following described REAL ESTATE, in Vigo County, State of Indiana,

to-wit: The following described realestate set off to Samuel H. Adams in a certain partition proceedings in the Superior Court of Vigo County in the State of Indiana and Court aforesaid during the December Term of Court 1900 being cause No. 6403 (Henry J. Adams vs. Susan Lucas et al). Said tract being described in Order Book 23 page 390 and designated as Lot Seven (7) as shown by the plat on page 393 of said Order Book which description and plat of said Lot in said Order Book is made part of this deed

In Witness Whereof, The said Frank W. Adams and Lutitia Adams his wife

have hereunto set their hands and seals, this 16 day of September 1902

(Seal.) Frank Adams (Seal.)

(Seal.) Lutitia Adams (Seal.)

(Seal.) (Seal.)

VIGO COUNTY NOTARY PUBLIC INDIANA

State of Indiana, Vigo County, ss,

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public

in and for said County, this 16 day of September 1902

personally appeared Frank Adams and Lutitia Adams his wife and

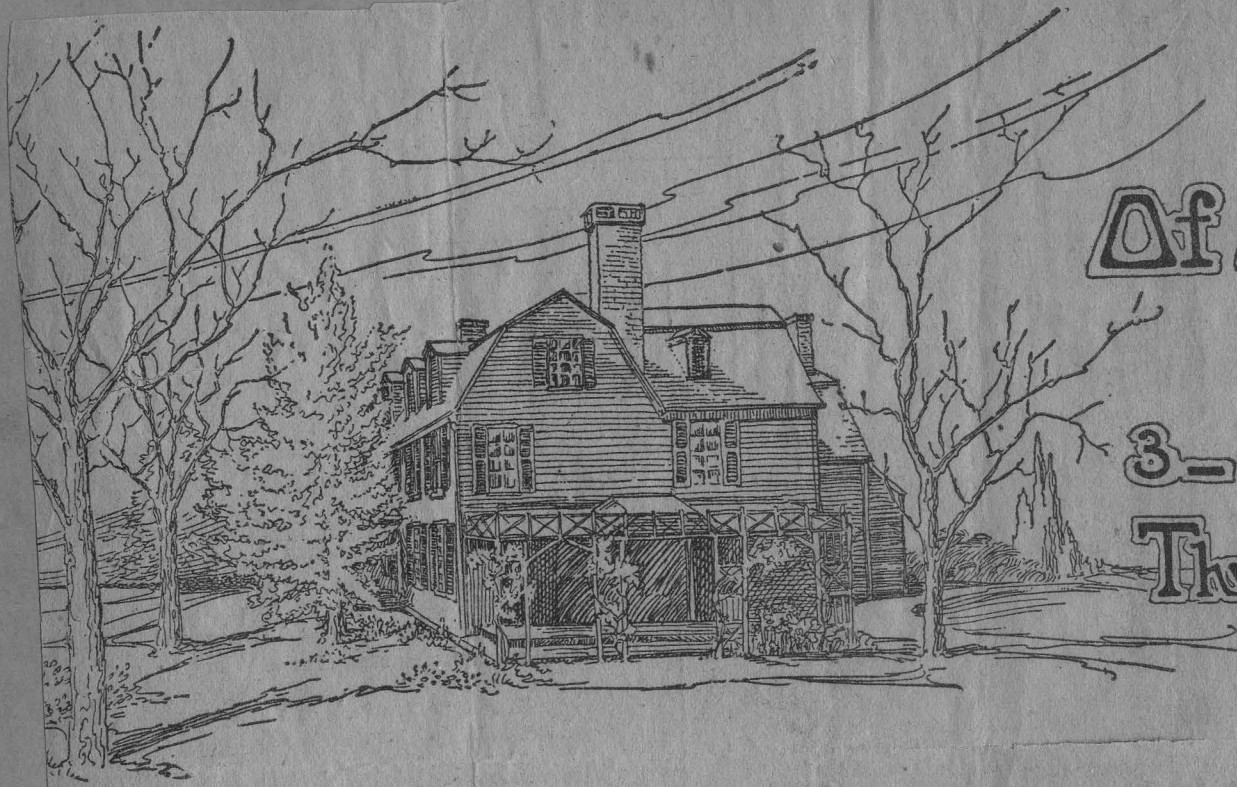
acknowledged the execution of this deed. Witness my hand and official seal,

Ira L Parrett

My Commission expires May 10 1905 Notary Public (Seal.)

1) Information about John and Abigail Adams removed from an old book.

2) Pictures of the Adams' Ancestral Home in England



Homes Of Our Presidents

3— The Adams Homestead

The Home of John Adams and John Quincy Adams at Quincy, Mass.

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Adams Family

ENGLISH GARDEN and seventeenth century cottage is this at Floore, Northamptonshire, once the home of Quaker Thomas Adams. It was from here, in 1636, that the Adams family emigrated to America.

Adams Family

CHICAGO DAILY TRIBUNE:

ADAMS' ANCESTRAL HOME IN ENGLAND

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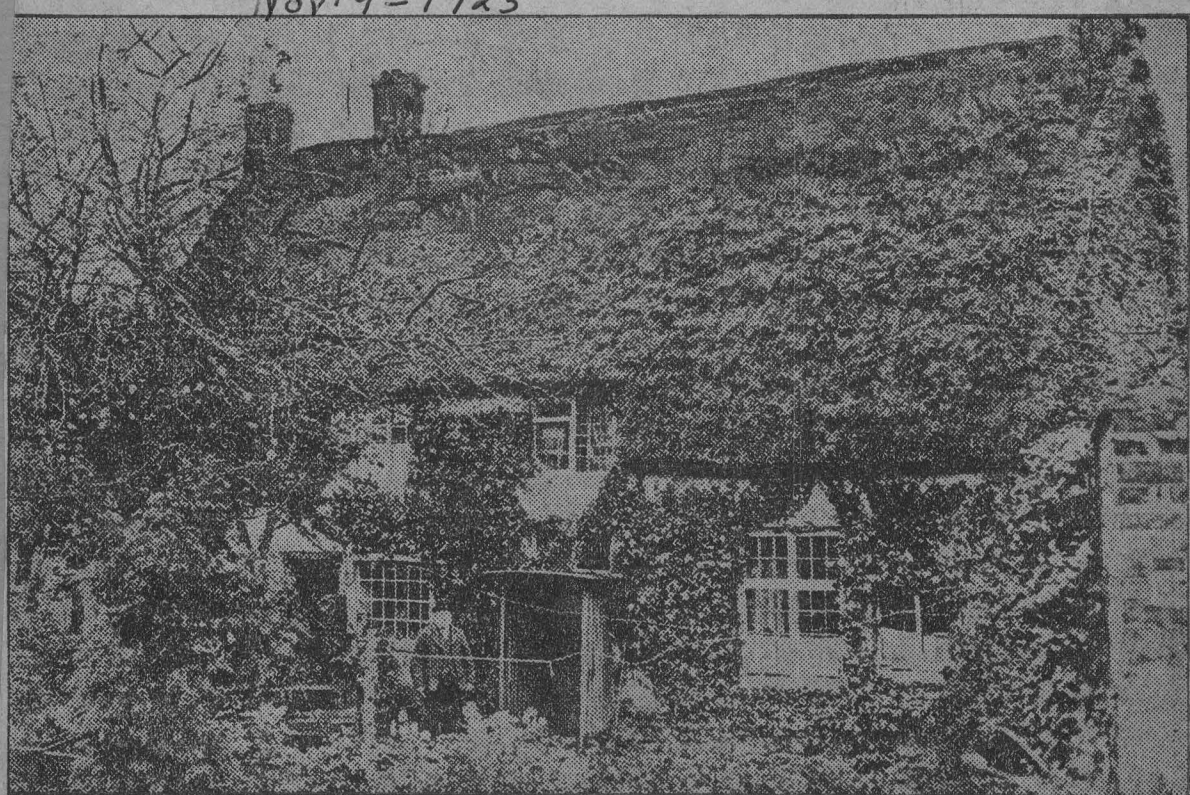

Ancestral home of John Adams, second president of the United States, at Flors, Northamptonshire, England, recently acquired as national property through the American branch of the Sulgrave institution.

[Wide World Photo.]

Adams, Abigail

A Adams

From an original painting by Gilbert Stuart

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Adams, Abigail (Smith)

Wife of John Adams, second president of the U.S. and author

b. Weymouth, Mass. Nov. 22, 1744; d. Oct. 28, 1818
Married - Oct. 25, 1764 - to John Adams

Her maiden name was Abigail Smith and she came from the old stock of New-England Colonists. Her father was the Congregational minister at Weymouth for more than 40 years. On her mother's side, the Quincy family, she inherited a claim to belong in the educational and religious movements of the early Puritans. She was the second of three daughters and received quite a bit of schooling from her grandmother, Elizabeth Quincy. This consisted of reading and learning lessons of practical wisdom and goodness. She was not sent to school because of delicate health. She and her family attended Mr. Adams at different times on his affairs in Europe. He was ever dependent on her for the cheerful, genial sagacious wife and counsellor. Her correspondences ~~have~~ were compiled in "Letters of Mrs. Adams"

ABIGAIL ADAMS.

THE wife of John Adams, second president of the United States, was born at Weymouth, Massachusetts, November 22d, 1744. Her maiden name was Abigail Smith, and she came from the old stock of New-England colonists. Her father was the Congregational minister at Weymouth for more than forty years; and on her mother's side, the Quincy family, she inherited a claim to belong to those who were distinguished and prominent in the educational and religious movements of the early Puritans. Abigail was the second of three daughters, and when a girl, being rather delicate, was not sent to school with other girls of her age and position. Her education and training, consequently, consisted in great measure in a somewhat discursive course of reading, and she owed a deep and abiding debt of gratitude to her grandmother, Elizabeth Quincy, who contributed largely towards forming and improving her taste and judgment, and assisting her in learning lessons of practical wisdom and goodness. Mrs. Adams, however, we are assured by her son, John Quincy Adams, was well versed in the best literature of the period, and was possessed with a warm relish for the beauties and high moral principles of the poets and moralists of the reign of Queen Anne. Abigail and her sisters "were familiar with the pages of Shakespeare and Milton, of Dryden and Pope, of Addison and Swift, no less than with those of Tillotson and Berkeley; nor were they unacquainted with those of Butler and Locke. . . . . Perhaps no writer of any age or nation ever exercised a more beneficent influence over the taste and manners of the female sex, than Addison, by the papers of the Spectator, Guardian and Tatler. With these the daughters of Mrs. Smith were, from their childhood, familiar. The sententious energy of Young, sparkling amid the gloom of his Night Thoughts, like diamonds from the lamp of a sepulchre; the patriotic and profound sensibilities of Thomson and Collins, preëminently the poets of freedom, kindling the love of country with the concentrated radiance and splendors of imagination, were felt and admired by Mrs. Adams, in her youth, and never lost their value to her mind in mature age." Trained under such influences, the superior native powers and faculties of Mrs. Adams, found their full development, and

she became the wisest, safest and most reliable counsellor of her husband in the busy and somewhat stormy career of political life. Her marriage took place October 25th, 1764, and John Adams being at the time an active and rather ambitious young lawyer, she spent the first eight or ten years of wedded life in the discharge of home duties and in full sympathy with the patriotic movements which soon after led to a collision between the colonies and the British government.

Entrance into the public service seemed almost a necessity at this period to a man of John Adams' native capabilities and prominent position. The course of events which brought Boston into the forefront in the struggle with the mother country, naturally aroused every man of note and character in New England. Adams was chosen as one of a committee to meet other public spirited men in a Congress at Philadelphia, September, 1774, in order to consult upon existing and threatened dangers, and to provide as far as possible for combined effort in the common behalf. Beginning at this date, and continuing all through life, as far as occasion permitted or required, Mrs. Adams and her husband kept up a regular confidential correspondence, in which she bore her full part and justified the high praise we have bestowed upon her. "I must entreat you," Adams wrote, "my dear partner in all the joys and sorrows, prosperity and adversity of my life, to take a part with me in the struggle. I pray God for your health, and entreat you to rouse your whole attention to the family, the stock, the farm, the dairy. Let every article of expense, which can possibly be spared, be retrenched. Keep the hands attentive to their business, and let the most prudent measures of every kind be adopted and pursued with alacrity and spirit."

Mrs. Adams, at this time, while her husband was absent at Philadelphia, was residing at their cottage at Braintree, with four little children, the eldest not ten years old. The battle of Lexington had taken place, and the whole country around Boston was alive with men eager to besiege the king's troops, and bring the contest to a distinct issue. Danger was imminent, and no one could tell from what quarter it might come, or say where the hand of the depredator might strike. Writing to her husband, under date of May 24th, 1775, Mrs. Adams gives a graphic account of the alarm just then occasioned by the approach of a small body of British soldiers. "Our house has been, upon this alarm," she says, "a scene of confusion. Soldiers coming in for a lodging, for breakfast, for supper, for drink, etc. Sometimes refugees from Boston, tired and fatigued, seek an asylum for a day, a night, a week. You can hardly imagine how we live. . . . . My best wishes attend you, both for your health and happiness; and that you may be directed into the wisest and best measures for our safety, and the security of our prosperity. I wish you were nearer to us. We know not what a day will bring forth, nor what distress one hour may throw us into. Hitherto I have been able to maintain a calmness and presence of mind; and hope

I shall, let the exigency of the time be what it will."

The value of John Adams' presence and services were so great in Congress, that he could not be spared, and consequently Mrs. Adams was called upon to exercise all her fortitude, and bear up, in great measure alone, under the terrible trials of war, pestilence and such like evils. Yet she did not murmur, and she sympathized fully in the glowing words of her husband, who had been the great and eloquent defender of the Declaration of Independence in July, 1776. "You will think me transported with enthusiasm," he writes, "but I am not. I am well aware of the toil and blood and treasure that it will cost us to maintain this declaration, and support and defend these States. Yet, through all the gloom, I can see the rays of ravishing light and glory. I can see the end is more than worth all the means, and that posterity will triumph in that day's transaction, even although we should rue it, which I trust in God we shall not."

Early in the spring of 1778, Mrs. Adams was under the necessity of parting with her husband and eldest son for a season. Adams was sent to France to join with Franklin and others in efforts to induce the government to extend aid to the United States. Adams returned home in the summer of the next year, and was again deputed to foreign service. After a tedious and dangerous voyage, he reached Paris, in February, 1780; thence he proceeded to Holland, and accomplished there what his grandson terms "the greatest triumph of his life," in persuading the Dutch to give material aid to our country, and to enter into a treaty, October, 1782, between the ancient republic and its newly born sister. Mrs. Adams did not accompany her husband at this time, but remained at her post at home, in the cheerful discharge of the duties incumbent upon her, and in both waiting and watching for the future of her native land.

The public service requiring Adams to remain abroad, his wife and only daughter joined him, on the continent, in the summer of 1784. "Her arrival completely altered the face of his affairs. He forgot the ten years of almost constant separation which had taken place, and became reconciled at once to a longer stay abroad. No man depended more than he upon the tranquil enjoyments of home for his happiness. He took the house at Auteuil, near Paris, to which he had been removed in the preceding year for recovery from his illness, and returned to a state of life placid and serene. With his wife, his eldest son, John Quincy, then just rising into a youth of the greatest promise, and a daughter, in whom any body would have felt a pride, about him, near the society of a cultivated metropolis, into which his official position gave him free admission, he had little to do but to enjoy the day as it passed, heedless of the morrow. Some little notion of his way of life may be gathered from the fresh and sprightly letters of Mrs. Adams, addressed, during this time, to her friends and relations at home, which have been already given to the world."

In the spring of 1785, Mrs. Adams accompanied her husband to England, he having been appointed the first

American Minister to the Court of St. James. It was a position of no little difficulty as well as importance to both Mr. and Mrs. Adams. The pride and haughtiness of the nobility, the stubborn will of George III., the entirely undefined position and rank of an ambassador just arrived and coming from a land recently in subjection to the British crown, all portended difficulties and annoyances not altogether easy to endure; and in addition, so far as his wife was concerned, the lofty assumptions of the leaders and rulers of society, and their ill concealed contempt for *parvenus*, like Americans, foreshadowed trials quite as difficult in their way to be borne, as those to which Adams was subjected.

It is a marked confirmation of the high estimate which we have expressed respecting Mrs. Adams, that she bore herself with most admirable skill and spirit in her difficult position. A true and genuine Christian lady, without pretension or affectation, claiming nothing for herself beyond what every lady is entitled to, and expecting and requiring from the haughtiest the consideration due to her rank as representing the women of her native country, she seems to have charmed the nobility and votaries of fashionable life by her unaffected simplicity, gentleness, refinement and courtesy, and fully to have sustained the character which her countrywomen may well have admired. Annoyances there were, it is true, and enough of them; but Mrs. Adams always proved herself equal to every emergency, and never tarnished the fair fame of the people to whom she belonged.

Her letters, as we have noted, give a clear insight into matters of interest and value to herself and her native land. Writing to her sister, on one occasion, she says: "When I reflect on the advantages which the people of America possess over the most polished of other nations, the ease with which property is obtained, the plenty which is so equally distributed, their personal liberty and security of life and property, I feel grateful to heaven who marked out my lot in this happy land; at the same time I deprecate that restless spirit, and that baneful ambition and thirst for power, which will finally make us as wretched as our neighbors."

In the spring of 1788, Mrs. Adams, with her husband and family, bade adieu to Europe, and returned to the United States. Adams was elected vice-president, and for eight years discharged the duties of his office with dignity, conscientiousness and success. Mrs. Adams, who had so well sustained her difficult position abroad, was now fully alive to the present duties and obligations. Abundant evidence exists of the admirable way in which she presided in her residence at New York and afterwards at Philadelphia, and displayed those superior excellences of mind and temper for which she was distinguished. Her husband's reliance upon her sympathy, her judgment, her clear insight, was unbounded, and it cannot be doubted that she exercised an influence over him most happy and beneficial in its effects. On taking up his abode in New York, Mr. Adams secured the beautiful rural residence of Mrs. Jephson at

Richmond Hill. It was, we are assured, the most agreeable place on the island, and admirably adapted to the views of both the vice-president and his wife.

In the autumn of 1790, Mrs. Adams was subjected to the annoyance of superintending the removal of her household to Philadelphia, this city having been selected for the national capital during the following ten years. It was a tedious and toilsome operation, but was bravely endured and successfully accomplished. Writing to her daughter, she says: "Though there remains neither bush nor shrub upon it, and very few trees, except the pine grove behind it, yet Bush Hill (her new residence), is a very beautiful place; but the grand and the sublime I left at Richmond Hill. The cultivation in sight and the prospect are superior; but the Schuylkill is no more like the Hudson than I to Hercules."

Society in Philadelphia, at this date, was distinguished for its brilliancy and liveliness. The number of beautiful women was unusually large, and as, in addition to personal attractiveness, there were superadded the higher elements of intellectual culture, the Quaker City was more gay than it has ever been since, or is ever likely to be again. "I should spend a very dissipated winter," Mrs. Adams wrote, "were I to accept one-half of the invitations I receive, particularly to the routs or tea-and-cards."

During the recess of Congress, and when occasion served, or the state of her health required, Mrs. Adams was absent from the seat of government, and sought relaxation and pleasure in her country home at Quincy, Massachusetts. She kept up a regular correspondence with her husband, and was always the cheerful, genial, sagacious wife and counsellor.

Writing to his wife, in February, 1794, Adams said: "You apologize for the length of your letters, and I ought to excuse the shortness and emptiness of mine. Yours give me more entertainment than all the speeches I hear. There are more good thoughts, fine strokes, and mother wit in them than I hear in the whole week. An ounce of mother wit is worth a pound of clergy; and I rejoice that one of my children, at least, has an abundance of not only mother wit, but of his mother's wit. It is one of the most amiable and striking traits in his composition. If the rogue has any family pride, it is all derived from the same source." To this Mrs. Adams replied, in a like genial strain: "You say so many handsome things to me, respecting my letters that you ought to fear making me vain; since, however, we may appreciate the encomiums of the world, the praises of those whom we love and esteem are more dangerous, because we are led to believe them the most sincere."

John Adams having been elected successor of Washington in the first and highest office in the country's gift, his wife wrote to him in terms of so great womanly dignity and appreciativeness, that we give her letter in full. It was dated at Quincy, February 8th, 1797:

> "The sun is dressed in brightest beams,
> To give honor to the day.

"And may it prove an auspicious

prelude to each ensuing season. You have this day to declare yourself head of a nation. 'And now, O Lord, my God, thou hast made thy servant ruler over the people. Give unto him an understanding heart, that he may know how to go out and come in before this great people; that he may discern between good and bad. For who is able to judge this, thy so great a people?' were the words of a royal sovereign; and not less applicable to him who is invested with the chief magistracy of a nation, though he wears not the crown nor the robes of royalty.

"My thoughts and my meditations are with you, though personally absent; and my petitions to Heaven are that 'the things which make for peace may not be hidden from your eyes.' My feelings are not those of pride or ostentation upon the occasion. They are solemnized by a sense of the obligations, the important trusts and numerous duties connected with it. That you may be enabled to discharge them with honor to yourself, with justice and impartiality to your country, and with satisfaction to this great people, shall be the daily prayer of your

"A. A."

During the somewhat tempestuous administration of the second president, Mrs. Adams was called upon to exercise all her admirable powers in soothing, quieting, encouraging her husband, and in moderating and in a measure disarming the violence of political partizanship and struggles. Her health suffered materially in the early part of Adams's administration, and for a long time she lay stretched on the bed of illness, flickering between life and death, at her home in Massachusetts. Her recovery was slow, and her health remained but delicate thenceforward. Her husband's allusions to this distressing part of his trials are frequent and touching: "Your sickness last summer, fall, and winter, has been to me the severest trial I ever endured." "Oh, how they lament Mrs. Adams's absence! She is a good counsellor!"

In the summer of the year 1800, by direction of President Adams, the public offices, papers, etc., were removed to the new federal city on the banks of the Potomac, where Congress was to hold its next session, on the third Monday of November. In this connection, Mrs. Adams's letter to her daughter may aptly be quoted, giving, as it does, a graphic description of the city of Washington in the days of its infancy. The letter was written in November, 1800. "I arrived here," she says, "on Sunday last, and without meeting any accident worth noticing, except losing ourselves when we left Baltimore, and going eight or nine miles on the Frederick Road, by which means we were obliged to go the other eight through the woods, where we wandered two hours without finding a guide or the path. Fortunately a straggling black came up with us, and we engaged him as a guide to extricate us out of our difficulty; but woods are all you see, from Baltimore, until you reach the *city*,—which is only so in name. Here and there is a small cot, without a glass window, interspersed among the forests, through which you travel miles without seeing any human being."

Her account of the president's offi

cial residence is equally entertaining. "The house is upon a grand and superb scale, requiring about thirty servants to attend and keep the apartments in proper order, and perform the ordinary business of the house and stables, an establishment very *well* proportioned to the president's salary! The lighting the apartments, from the kitchen to parlors and chambers, is a tax indeed! and the fires we are obliged to keep, to secure us from daily agues, is another cheering comfort!

"If they will put me up some bells, (there is not one hung in the whole house, and promises are all you can obtain!) and let me have wood enough to keep fires, I design to be pleased. I could content myself almost anywhere three months; but, surrounded with forests, can you believe that wood is not to be had?—because people cannot be found to cut and cart it! Briesler entered into a contract with a man to supply him with wood; a small part (a few cords) only has he been able to get. Most of that was expended to dry the walls of the house before we came in; and yesterday the man told him it was impossible to procure it to be cut and carted. He has had recourse to coals; but we cannot get grates made and set. We have come indeed into a 'new country.' The house is made habitable, but there is not a single apartment finished, and all withinside, except the plastering, has been done since Briesler came. We have not the least fence, yard, or other convenience without, and the great unfinished audience-room I make a drying-room of, to hang up the clothes in. The principal stairs are not up, and will not be this winter. Six chambers are made comfortable; two are occupied by the president and Mr. Shaw; two lower rooms, one for a common parlor, and one for a levee-room. Up-stairs there is the oval room, which is designed for the drawing-room, and has the crimson furniture in it. It is a very handsome room now; but when completed, it will be beautiful."

There was not, certainly, much of the pomp of royalty in such an official residence as this: and Jefferson and other captious critics might have discovered many wiser reasons than those which were suggested, for Adams's manifest reluctance to take up his abode, for a few months, in a house which was accessible by little better than a "blazed track," and where there was no fuel to be had, nor a bell hung and not even a yard for the president's wife "to hang up the clothes in" to be dried. Domestic trials and tribulations, however, like every thing else in this world, come to an end in due time. In this case, only a few months sufficed, and in the latter part of February, 1801, Mrs. Adams returned to her home at Quincy, never to leave it again. The retiring president was chagrined and vexed to such a degree by the result of the fierce political struggle, which placed Thomas Jefferson in the presidential chair, that he could not bring himself to remain in Washington long enough to see his astute rival safely seated, on the 4th of March, in the coveted post of honor. Hence he hurried his family away, and settled down at Quincy, in close seclusion and almost obscurity.

Mrs. Adams was now approaching three score-years, and having served her country well, and having discharged for many years the duties of her station, with a faithfulness worthy of all praise, she was well satisfied to retire into this heaven of rest, and spend the remainder of her life in the quiet, unobtrusive duties of home. There was no murmuring or complaining on her part, no longing for high position or gay society, of which she had had so large experience; she was at peace with the world, and without ambition ever to enter into its busy occupations again.

Her eldest son, John Quincy Adams, returned home after eight years' diplomatic service abroad, and became Secretary of State under President Monroe. It was, no doubt, a great gratification to his mother as well as father, to have a son whose uprightness of character, and abilities as a statesman, were fully and freely recognized; and had her life been spared but a few years longer, she would have seen that son elevated to the same high position which his father once filled. But it was not so to be. Mrs. Adams was spared to live beyond the three-score years and ten of mortal existence, and the summons of departure came in a good old age.

This was the severest affliction which had ever befallen John Adams. "His wife, who had gone through the vicissitudes of more than half a century in his company; who had sympathized with him in all his aspirations, and had cheered him in his greatest trials; who had faithfully preserved his worldly interests, when he was unable to be present to guard them himself; who had enlivened his home and had shared his joys and his pains alike, was taken ill with a typhus fever in the autumn of 1818, and died on the 28th of October. He was at this time eighty-three years of age, and of course had little reason to expect long to survive her; but to him her loss was a perpetually recurring evil; for she had been the stay of his household. Her character had adapted itself to his in such a manner as to improve the good qualities of both, so that her loss threw over his manner ever afterwards a tinge of sadness not natural to him; and the sprightly humor, which made so agreeable a part of the letters addressed to her in her lifetime, as it did of his daily conversation, ceased in a degree to appear."

Adams John Quincy

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS.

We have already traced the lineage of John Quincy Adams. He comes nobly heralded upon the scene of our Revolutionary annals. His stirring relative, the zealous and always consistent Samuel Adams, the very front and seed-plot of obstinate rebellion, had taught the mechanics of Boston to resist, and his eloquence had reached the ears of men of influence throughout the colony and nation. His father, John Adams, thirty-two years old at the time of his birth, deeply grounded in the history of constitutional liberty and with the generous flame of freedom burning brightly in his bosom from boyhood, was already prepared for that warm, enlightened, steady career of patriotism—never swerving, always true to his land—which bore him aloft, the chosen representative of New England to the Congress of his country, and ultimately to her highest authority; while the nation in turn adopted him her express image in the important negotiations at three of the great courts of Europe.

Nor should we forget the tender, heroic mother, the child of sensibility and genius, hardened into the maturity and perfection of the female character by the fire of the Revolution, the gentle Abigail, in whose fair friendship and sympathies and feminine gracefulness posterity has an ever-living participation through the delightful pages of her "Correspondence."

Of that family, in a house adjoining the old paternal Braintree home, in the present town of Quincy, at this imminent moment of the Revolution, John Quincy Adams, the eldest son, was born July 11, 1767. He derived his baptismal name from his great-grandfather, John Quincy, the time-honored representative of Quincy in the Colonial Legislature. The name was given by his grandmother, as her husband was dying. The incident was not forgotten by the man. He recurred to it with emotion, fortified by a sense of duty. In a sentence cited by his recent biographer, the venerable Josiah Quincy, he says: "This fact, recorded by my father at the time, is not without a moral to my heart, and has connected with that portion of my name a charm of mingled sensibility and devotion. It was filial tenderness that gave the name—it was the name of one passing from earth to immortality. These have been through life, perpetual admonitions to do nothing unworthy of it."

It is interesting to trace the progress of the child in his mother's correspondence, from the infant lullaby which she

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prattles to her husband, when "our daughter rocks him to sleep with the song, 'Come, papa, come home to brother Johnny.' The boy has just entered his eighth year, and his father is on his way to the Continental Congress at Philadelphia, when she writes: "I have taken a very great fondness for reading Rollin's 'Ancient History,' since you left me. I am determined to go through with it if possible, in these my days of solitude. I find great pleasure and entertainment from it, and I have persuaded Johnny to read me a page or two every day, and hope he will, from his desire to oblige me, entertain a fondness for it." The child had some instruction at the village school, but he was especially taught by his father's law students, in the house. As the pressure of war increases, this resource is broken up. The anxious mother writes, "I feel somewhat lonely. Mr. Thaxter is gone home. Mr. Rice is going into the army as captain of a company. We have no school. I know not what to do with John." In the summer of this year, 1775, "standing," we are told, "with her on the summit of Penn's Hill, he heard the cannon booming from the battle of Bunker's Hill, and saw the flames and smoke of burning Charlestown. During the siege of Boston he often climbed the same eminence alone, to watch the shells and rockets thrown by the American army."[1] A letter from the boy himself, two years later, then at the age of ten, exhibits his youthful precocity. "I love," he writes to his father, "to receive letters very well—much better than I love to write them. I make but a poor figure at composition; my head is much too fickle. My thoughts are running after birds' eggs, play and trifles, till I get vexed with myself. Mamma has a troublesome task to keep me steady, and I own I am ashamed of myself. I have but just entered the third volume of Smollett, though I had designed to have got half through it by this time. I have determined this week to be more diligent, as Mr. Thaxter will be absent at court, and I cannot pursue my other studies. I have set myself a stint, and determined to read the third volume half out." He asks for directions to proportion his time between play and writing, and in a postscript says, "Sir, if you will be so good as to favor me with a blank book, I will transcribe the most remarkable occurrences I meet with in my reading, which will serve to fix them upon my mind."[1]

In this letter we may read the aged man backward, from his steadfast, methodical desk in the House of Representatives, to the little boy at his mother's side in Braintree. The "childhood shows the man as morning shows the day." He was an old-fashioned, studious youth, nurtured amidst grave scenes of duty, early in harness, a resolute worker from his cradle to his grave.

The next year the boy is taken with his father, on board the frigate Boston, on his first mission to France; followed, in her first letter after the separation,

[1] Quincy's Memoir, p. 3.

[1] This letter appears from the manuscript in Mr. Edward Everett's eloquent Faneuil Hall eulogy on Adams.

by this noble injunction of the mother: "Enjoin it upon him never to disgrace his mother, and to behave worthily of his father." The boy is a little man on the voyage, securing the favor of the French gentlemen on board, who teach him their language. In a perilous storm which arose, his father records his inexpressible satisfaction at his behavior, "bearing it with a manly patience, very attentive to me, and his thoughts constantly running in a serious strain." When they arrive in France, and take up their lodgings with Benjamin Franklin at Passy, he is put to school with the sage's grandson, Benjamin Franklin Bache, in the neighborhood. At the close of this short sojourn abroad, his father sums up his advantages: "My son has had a great opportunity to see this country; but this has unavoidably retarded his education in some other things. He has enjoyed perfect health from first to last, and is respected wherever he goes for his vigor and vivacity, both of mind and body, for his constant good humor and for his rapid progress in French as well as his general knowledge, which, for his age, is uncommon." [1] On the return voyage, in the Sensible, the Chevalier de la Luzerne, the minister to the United States, and his secretary, M. Marbois, "are in raptures with my son. They get him to teach them the language. I found, this morning, the ambassador seated on the cushion in our state-room, M. Marbois in his cot, at his left hand, and my son stretched out in his, at his right; the ambassador reading out loud in Blackstone's Discourse at his entrance on his professorship of the common law at the University, and my son correcting the pronunciation of every word and syllable and letter." [1]

In November, father and son are at sea again in the Sensible, on their return to France. This time they are landed in Gallicia, and pursue their way through the northern provinces of Spain to the French frontier. When the boy's Diary shall be published, that gigantic work which we are told he commenced on this second voyage, and continued, with few interruptions, through life, the world will doubtless get some picturesque notices of these foreign scenes, so happily sketched in his father's note-book. The boy was again at school in France, and on his father's mission to Amsterdam, in the summer, was placed with an instructor under the wing of the venerable university of Leyden, where in January, 1781, with Franklin's correspondent, Benjamin Waterhouse, then a student of medicine, he went before the Rector Magnificus and was duly matriculated. His father's object in taking him to Leyden was to escape "the mean-spirited wretches," as he describes them, the teachers of the public schools at Amsterdam.

The youth, however, was not long at the University. His father's secretary, Francis Dana, having received the appointment of minister to St. Petersburg, in July, took the boy of fourteen with him as *his* secretary. "In this capacity," says Mr. Everett, "he was recog-

[1] Letters of John Adams to his wife, II. 54.

[1] John Adams' Sea Diary, June 19, 1779. Works, III. 214.

nized by Congress; and there is, perhaps, no other case of a person so young being employed in a civil office of trust, under the government of the United States. But in Mr. Adams' career there was no boyhood." His knowledge of French, indeed, appears to have been of real service in interpreting between his chief and the French minister, the Marquis de Verac, with whom the negotiations were conducted at the Russian capital. In the autumn of the succeeding year he left St. Petersburg for a winter in Stockholm, and in the spring travelled alone through Sweden, Denmark and Germany to the Hague, where in May, 1773, we hear of him in his father's correspondence, as again "pursuing his studies with great ardor." He was present with his father at the concluding peace negotiations at Paris, where he witnessed the signing of the memorable final treaty. The greater part of the next two years was passed in London and Paris, where he had now the society of his mother. He is still the same vigilant student, while he assists his father as his secretary. "He is a noble fellow," writes John Adams from Auteuil to Francis Dana at the close of 1784, "and will make a good Greek or Roman, I hope, for he spends his whole time in their company, when he is not writing for me."[1]

When his father was appointed the first minister plenipotentiary to England, it was but natural to suppose that the secretary who had shared his humbler labors would have desired to participate in the full-blown honors of the royal court. There is not one youth in a thousand who would have resisted the temptation. For what does John Quincy Adams, at the age of eighteen, after his responsible duties in Russia, his independent sojourn in Stockholm, and intercourse with the brilliant American circles in Paris, with Franklin at the centre, exchange the splendid prospect of life in the British metropolis? For the leading-strings and restraints of Harvard, and a toilsome pupilage at the bar. The choice between inclination and duty never was more temptingly presented. His own expression of the resolve is too memorable to be omitted. "I have been seven years travelling in Europe," he writes, "seeing the world and in its society. If I return to the United States, I must be subject, one or two years, to the rules of a college, pass three more in the tedious study of the law, before I can hope to bring myself into professional notice. The prospect is discouraging. If I accompany my father to London, my satisfaction would probably be greater than by returning to the United States; but I shall loiter away my precious time, and not go home until I am forced to it. My father has been all his lifetime occupied by the interests of the public. His own fortune has suffered. His children must provide for themselves. I am determined to get my own living, and to be dependent upon no one. With a tolerable share of common sense, I hope in America to be independent and free. Rather than live otherwise, I would wish to die before my time."[1]

[1] John Adams' Works, IX. 527.

[1] Quincy's Memoir, p. 5.

With this creditable resolve he bore with him from his father a letter to Benjamin Waterhouse, touching his examination at Harvard. The solicitous parent, who had read some of the classics with his son, and forsaking the card-table, attempted even an introduction to the higher mathematics, in which he failed, candidly admitting that these abstruse studies had quite departed from him in thirty years' utter unconsciousness of them, is anxious to impress upon his friend those general acquisitions which might be obscured at an examination for want of some of the technicalities of instruction. Thus, while he had steadily pursued his studies, and made written translations of the Æneid, Suetonius, Sallust, Tacitus' Agricola and Germany, and portions of the Annals, with a good part of Horace, he might be defective in quantities and parsing. Harvard, however, was not likely to be too inexorable in her demands; nor was the pupil likely to fall short of them. After a few months' reading with the Rev. Mr. Shaw of Haverhill, he was admitted to the junior class in March, 1786, and continuing in the University long enough to leave a fragrant memory of his scholarship and good principles, received his degree the following year. His commencement oration, which was published, was on "The Importance and Necessity of Public Faith to the Well-being of a Community."

He now engaged in a three years' course of the study of the law, with Theophilus Parsons, at Newburyport, in which he must have heard much from his vigorous-minded preceptor, who afterwards became chief justice of the State, of the struggle then going on for the adoption of the Constitution. Adams was admitted to the bar in 1790, and at once, as he long afterwards expressed it, "commenced what I can hardly call the practice of the law in the city of Boston." For the first three years he had the usual opportunity of young lawyers for further study; and unlike many of them, he availed himself of it. A portion of his leisure was spent in the discussion of the important political questions of the day. He answered the plausible sophistries on government, of Paine's "Rights of Man," in a series of essays published in Russell's "Columbian Centinel," signed Publicola; and in 1793, in the same journal, urged neutrality upon the country in the contest between England and France, and attacked the insolent Genet in terms of wholesome indignation. This service, and doubtless his father's great successes in Holland, led Washington's administration to appoint him, in 1794, minister to the Netherlands. His acceptance of this honorable position was at the cost of a rapidly developing legal practice. Arriving in London in time to confer with Jay, whose British treaty was then getting adjusted, he reached Holland in season to witness the occupation of the country by the French propagandists. He remained at the Hague, availing himself of the opportunities and leisure of the place to add to those stores of knowledge already considerable, which he had accumulated, with the exception of a few months passed in diplomatic business in England till

the summer of 1797, when he received the appointment of minister to Portugal. On his father's occupancy of the Presidency this was changed to the mission to Berlin. Before proceeding to his new post he passed over to England to claim the hand of a lady to whom he had become engaged on a former visit, Miss Louisa Catharine Johnson, the daughter of the American consul at London.

Adams felt at first a natural reluctance to accept an important office at the hands of his father; but his independence was reconciled to the step when he learned that it had been urged by Washington himself, who considered him fully entitled by his previous services, to diplomatic promotion. He now took up his residence at Berlin. He was engaged in this mission to the close of his father's administration. During this time he negotiated a treaty of commerce with Prussia, and in the summer of 1800 made a considerable tour in Silesia. A number of letters' addressed to his brother in America, descriptive of this country, were published without his advice in the "Port Folio," and a few years after were issued in a volume by a London publisher. In this collection they form a methodically written work, descriptive of the industry and resources of an interesting country with a comprehensive account of its history and geography.

Adams also, during his residence at Berlin, employed himself in several literary compositions, of which the most important was a poetical version of Wieland's "Oberon." He intended this for publication, but found that Sotheby, the English translator, had anticipated him. Several satires of Juvenal were also among his translations. He moreover prepared for publication in America, a treatise of Frederick de Gentz, "On the Origin and Principles of the American Revolution," which interested him by its appreciation of American principles of liberty, as contradistinguished from the license of the French Revolution.

On his return to Boston, he turned his attention again to the study and resumed the practice of the law. He was not, however, suffered to remain long free from official employment. A few months after his arrival he was called to the Senate of Massachusetts, and almost immediately chosen to the Senate of the United States. It was at that period of the disintegration of the federal party when the old order of things was fast going out, and the new was not fully established. Adams, who was always inclined to think for himself, chose an independent position. In some things, as the constitutionality of taking possession of Louisiana, in the way in which it was done, he opposed the administration; in voting for the appropriation of the purchase money, he was with it. When the prominent measures of Jefferson's administration in reference to England began to take shape in the Embargo, he was at variance with his colleague, Mr. Pickering. He was of opinion that submission to British aggression was no longer a virtue. His course, which was considered a renunciation of federalism, created a storm in Massachusetts, where the legislature, in anticipation of the

usual period, elected a successor to his senatorial term. Upon this censure he immediately resigned.

His retirement was characteristic enough. He had been some time before, in 1805, chosen professor of rhetoric and oratory on the Boylston foundation at Harvard, and had delivered his Inaugural the following year. The preparation of these lectures, in the delivery of which he now continued to be employed, called for fresh classical studies; but to study he was never averse, and it is the memorable lesson of his career, that the pursuits of literature are not only the ornament of political life, but the best safeguards of the personal dignity of the politician, when, as must sometimes happen with an independent man, he is temporarily thrown out of office by party distractions. If he is then found, as Adams always was, making new acquisitions of learning, and preparing anew for public usefulness, he must and will be respected, whichever way the popular favor of the moment may blow. Mr. Adams continued his duties at Harvard, reading lectures and presiding over the exercises in elocution till the summer of 1809. In the following year, his "Lectures on Oratory, delivered to the Senior and Junior Sophisters in Harvard University," were published at Cambridge. Mr. Edward Everett, who was at the time one of the younger students, bears witness to the interest with which these discourses were received, not merely by the collegians but by various voluntary listeners from the neighborhood. "They formed," he says, "an era in the University, and were," he thinks, "the first successful attempt in the country at this form of instruction in any department of literature."

Immediately upon the entrance of Madison upon the Presidency, Adams received the appointment of minister to Russia, the court which he had approached, in his boyish secretaryship, during the Revolution, with Dana. He sailed from Boston early in August, 1809, in a merchant ship, for St. Petersburg; but from various detentions, a rough passage, and the vexatious examinations of the British cruisers in the Baltic, then blockading Denmark, he did not arrive in Russia till October. The commercial embarrassments, in the complicated relations of the great Napoleonic wars of the time, witnessed on the voyage, in the detention and oppression of American ships, furnished his chief diplomatic business at the imperial court. As much as any man, perhaps, he aided in solving these international difficulties. He had a cordial reception at court on his first arrival, and as time wore on, having prepared the way by his interviews with Count Romanzoff, the chancellor of the empire, received a proffer of mediation from the Emperor Alexander, between Great Britain and the United States, in the war which had now broken out. The offer was accepted at home, and in the summer of 1813, he was joined at St. Petersburg by his fellow commissioners, Bayard and Gallatin, appointed for the negotiation. The mediation was not, however, accepted by Great Britain, though it proved a step forward to the final con-

ferences and adjustment at Ghent. England proposed to treat directly at Gottenburg or London. The American government chose the former, and Adams was placed on the commission with Bayard, Clay, Russell and Gallatin, to negotiate. Before his arrival on the spot, he learnt that the conference was appointed at Ghent, whither he proceeded in the summer of 1814; and, after a protracted round of diplomacy, had the satisfaction of signing the Treaty of Peace the day before Christmas of that year. The scene of this event in that region which had witnessed his father's successes, and his early entrance upon the world, and above all, the event itself closing the gates of war, as his father again had signed the great pacification of 1783, must have been peculiarly gratifying, not merely to his patriotic pride, but to the love of method which characterized his life. He may readily have recognized in it that courteous fate which so often marked the career of his family. If there is a political as well as a poetical justice, it was certainly exhibited in the history of John Quincy Adams, and his illustrious father. The coincidences are most striking.

Adams having now closed his mission to St. Petersburg, and having been appointed minister to Great Britain, was joined by his family from Russia, in Paris, where he witnessed the return of Napoleon from Elba, and the commencement of the Hundred Days. It was one of those dramatic surprises of Parisian life, which we may expect to be faithfully represented in Mr. Adams' Diary, when it shall be given to the world. We get, perhaps, a glimpse of his record in his biographer, Mr. Quincy's narrative. Napoleon, we are told, "alighted so silently, that Mr. Adams, who was at the Théâtre Français, not a quarter of a mile distant, was unaware of the fact till the next day, when the gazettes of Paris, which had showered execrations upon him, announced 'the arrival of his majesty, the emperor, at *his* palace of the Tuileries.' In the Place du Carousel, Mr. Adams, in his morning walk, saw regiments of cavalry belonging to the garrison of Paris, which had been sent out to oppose Napoleon, pass in review before him, their helmets and the clasps of their belts yet glowing with the arms of the Bourbons. The theatres assumed the title of Imperial, and at the opera in the evening, the arms of the Emperor were placed on the curtain, and on the royal box."

Adams, again respecting his father's precedents, took up his residence with his family in London. He was the American representative at the court of St. James for two years, when he was called by President Monroe to his cabinet as Secretary of State. His time in England was passed in the best society of books, things and men. After concluding the commercial relations of the treaty, he removed from London to a retired residence, at Boston House, Ealing, nine miles distant, where he found time—he could always make time—for his liberal studies.

The year 1817 saw him again in America, at Washington, the leading member of the new administration, in

the direct line of promotion to the Presidency. Old party lines were becoming, or had already become extinct. It was a period of fusion, "an era of good feeling," as it came to be called on the quiet reëlection of Monroe. The chief diplomatic measures of Adams' secretaryship, had reference to Spain. He was always spirited in his assertions of the foreign policy of the country, and on this occasion was greatly instrumental in the negotiations which ended in the cession of Florida. One of his special services was the preparation of an elaborate Report on Weights and Measures, at the call of Congress. He devoted six months of continuous labor to this production, entering into the subject philosophically, and in its historical and practical relations. The report was made to Congress in February, 1821.

Adams continued to hold his secretaryship through both terms of Monroe's administration. At its close, he was chosen by the House of Representatives his successor in the Presidency, the vote being divided between Jackson, himself, Crawford and Clay, who decided the choice by throwing the vote of Kentucky in his favor. His administration, says Mr. Everett, in the address already cited, "was, in its principles and policy, a continuation of Mr. Monroe's. The special object which he proposed to himself was to bind the distant parts of the country together, and promote their mutual prosperity by increased facilities of communication." There were many elements of opposition at work against a reëlection, in the complicated struggles of the times. Adams encountered a full measure of unpopularity and retired—in political disaster, as well as in diplomatic triumph, like his father—to the shades of Quincy—that long retirement which had only recently ended in death. The departure from the world of the elder Adams, occurred in the second year of his son's Presidency.

Unlike the father, however, he was not to sit brooding over the past. Work, persistent work, was the secret of John Quincy Adams' life. Of a tough mental fibre, there was no such thing as defeat, while he had a mind to contrive, a tongue to utter, or a hand to hold the pen. He was sixty-two at his retirement from the Presidency, within a few years of the age when his father was succeeded by Jefferson. Both felt the storm of unprecedented party spirit and annoyance, and both yielded to great popular heroes.

Literature again offered her hand to her assiduous son. "His active, energetic spirit," we are told, "required neither indulgence nor rest, and he immediately directed his attention to those philosophical, literary and religious researches, in which he took unceasing delight. The works of Cicero became the object of study, analysis and criticism. Commentaries on that master-mind of antiquity were among his daily labors. The translation of the Psalms of David into English verse was a frequent exercise; and his study of the Scriptures was accompanied by critical remarks, pursued in the spirit of free inquiry, chastened by a solemn reference to their origin and influence on the conduct and hopes of human

life. His favorite science, astronomy, led to the frequent observation of the planets and stars; and his attention was also called to agriculture and horticulture. He collected and planted the seeds of forest trees, and kept a record of their development; and, in the summer season, labored two or three hours daily in his garden. With these pursuits were combined sketches preparatory to a full biography of his father, which he then contemplated as one of his chief future employments."[1]

He was, however, again soon called into action, being elected, in November, 1830, by his district, to the House of Representatives. It was a novel spectacle—an ex-president of the United States sitting in the lower house, but it was fully in accordance with the spirit of our institutions, which honor all faithful servants of the public. Nor is it to be denied that at least equal talent may be called for, and equal influence exerted in the discharge of duties of public life, which to the eye of the world have a comparative inferiority of position. Power may be wielded by a representative which may govern the administration itself. There are many acts of our legislative bodies more potential than the simple acquiescence of the Executive; as the originator of a measure or line of policy must be of more consequence than the instrument which gives it effect. For more than sixteen years Adams labored at his seat in the House. He was the most punctual man of the assembly, always on the alert; cool, resolute, even pugnacious. There was scarcely a question, involving a point of morality, of national honor, or of literary and philosophical culture, on which his voice was not heard. He supported the demands of Jackson upon France; he asserted and successfully maintained the right of petition against vast obloquy and opposition; he was especially instrumental in the establishment of the National Observatory, and the Smithsonian Institution. A bare enumeration of his speeches, writings and addresses, would fill the space assigned to this sketch—lectures and addresses on points of law, government, history, biography and science, moral and social, local and national, before senators and before youths, on anniversaries of towns, on eras of the State, eulogies on the illustrious dead, on Madison, Monroe, Lafayette, the oration at the Jubilee of the Constitution.

As he had lived, so he died in harness. Death found him where he could have wished its approach, in the halls of Congress. His robust powers of body and mind had held out surprisingly, as his vigor, no less than his venerable appearance in the House, enforced an authority not always readily conceded to the persistence in unpopular appeals of "the old man eloquent." He was approaching eighty: still in the exercise of his extraordinary faculties, when, in a recess of Congress, walking in the streets of Boston, in November, 1846, he was stricken by paralysis, from which, nevertheless, he recovered in time to take his seat in Congress early in the year. The House rose to greet him, and he was conducted

[1] Josiah Quincy's Biography, p. 175–6.

to his chair with marked honors. He felt, however, his approach to the grave. There is a most touching evidence of this in the anecdote related by Mr. Everett. His journal, the diary of his long life, interrupted the day of his attack, was resumed after an interval of nearly four months, with the title, "Posthumous Memoir." Writing in its now darkened pages, he says of the day when it was interrupted, "From that hour I date my decease, and consider myself, for every useful purpose to myself and fellow creatures, dead; and hence I call this, and what I may hereafter write, a posthumous memoir."

He continued in the House another year, when the final messenger came, on Monday morning, the twenty-first of February, 1848. After passing a Sunday in harmony with his elevated religious life, he was observed to ascend the steps of the Capitol with his accustomed alacrity. As he rose, with a paper in his hand, to address the Speaker in the House, he was seized by a return of paralysis, and fell, uttering, "this is the last of earth—I am content." He was taken, as the House adjourned, to an adjacent room, where he lingered over Washington's birthday till the twenty-third, when he died in the speaker's apartment, under the roof of the Capitol. His remains were taken to Boston, reposed in state in old Faneuil Hall, and were quietly laid by the side of his parents, in a grave at Quincy.

The lesson of such a life is plain. Labor, conscientiousness, religious duty; talent borne out to its utmost stretch of performance by the industrious improvement of every opportunity; the self-rewarding pursuits of letters and science, in the gratification of an insatiable desire for knowledge; a constant invigoration of the moral powers by the strenuous discharge of duty; independence bought by self-denial and prudence, enjoying its wealth—the calm temper, the untroubled life—in the very means of acquiring it. How noble an illustration of the powers of life! When the correspondence and Diary, which Adams maintained through his long life, shall be published—when his writings shall be collected from the stray sheets in which they have been given to the winds, when the literary aids, due to his memory, shall be gathered in the library about his fair fame, there will be seen an enduring monument of a most honorable life of public service and mental activity.

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DAVID PORTER.

THIS adventurous hero, the "Paul Jones of the second war of Independence, with a more capacious and better regulated mind," was born in Boston, February 1, 1780. His father, Captain David Porter, commanded a merchant ship out of that port, and was distinguished as an officer of energy and activity in the naval service of the Revolutionary war. At the conclusion of the struggle the family removed to Baltimore, where the father commanded a revenue cutter, and became engaged in the West India trade. It was in one of these latter voyages that his son, at the age of sixteen, was introduced to the service of the ocean.

Thus launched on the deep, a youth of courage and mettle, he made the element his home, and speedily familiarized himself with its scenes of peril and warfare. It was at that unsettled period of our foreign relations, when our shipping was oppressed alike by our old enemy, England, and our recent ally, France. Aggression was rife on all sides. On this first voyage, young Porter was witness to one of those insults and assaults. While in port at the island of St. Domingo, a press gang endeavored to board his father's vessel. The assailants were manfully resisted, with slaughter on both sides. A man was shot down by the side of the youth. Such was his introduction to the mercantile service in 1796. On his next voyage to the same island, which he made in the capacity of mate, he was twice impressed by the British, and each time contrived to make his escape, reduced, however, to such circumstances of privation, that in his need he was compelled to work his passage homeward in the winter season, ill clad, and exposed to all the rigors of a northern icy coast.

Soon after reaching home he applied for admission into the navy, obtained a midshipman's warrant and joined the Constellation, Captain Truxton, then recently put in commission, and already distinguished by her services on the coast. In the famous action of this vessel, in February, 1799, with the French frigate, the Insurgente, which ended in the capture of the latter, midshipman David Porter had command of the foretop, a position, as it turned out, of peril and responsibility in the engagement. When the prize was taken, Porter was sent on board of her with Lieutenant Rodgers and eleven men to take possession and remove her prisoners. Before this duty could be discharged, night came on, and a heavy blow separated the vessel from the

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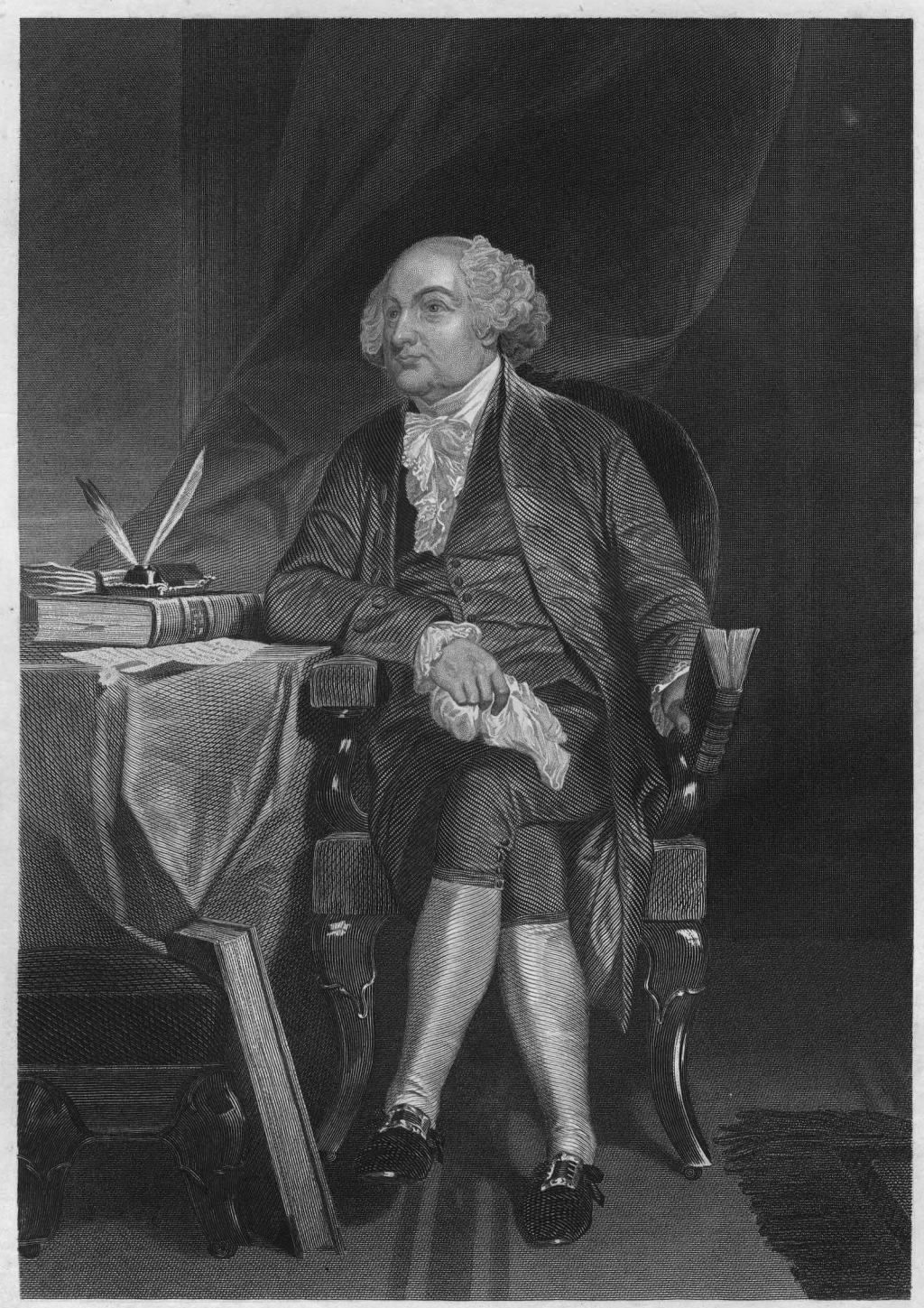

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Adams John

B. Oct. 19, 1735 - at Braintree, later known as Quincy, Mass.
D. Jul. 4, 1826

Married - in October 1764 to Abigail dau. of Rev. William Smith of Weymouth and grand-daughter of John Quincy of Mount Wolaston. This union continued for 53 yrs. having its only pang in absence (Wars) and the final separation.
Graduated from Harvard when he was 20.

His Writings - Official and personal correspondence, his Reminiscences, his Diary, his Autobiography, and his domestic letters to his wife.
Started out as a ① schoolmaster ② studied law and was admitted Attorney at Law.
As a statesman he served ① member of Continental Congress; ② Signer of the Declaration of Independence; ③ Minister to Holland, ④ to Great Britain; ⑤ Vice-President then President of the U. S.
One of the founders of the nation, he reached its summit of authority and lived to see his son at its head also as President,

JOHN ADAMS.

In the notice on a previous page of the genealogy of the Adams Family, in the sketch of Samuel Adams, we have seen the point of separation of the Braintree and Boston branches in the third generation midway between the American founder and his distinguished descendants of the Revolutionary era. John Adams, the grandfather of Samuel, removed to Boston; his brother, Joseph, remained at Braintree, becoming the parent of a son, John, who was the father of the future President.

John Adams, the subject of this paper, was born in the town of Braintree, October 19, 1735. His father was something more than a respectable, he was a useful citizen of the town; he had been educated at Harvard; held the offices of deacon and selectman, honoring the one by his piety and discharging the other with fidelity, and according to a habit not unfrequent with small property-holders in New England, eked out the resources of his farm by shoe-making. Taking care to transmit the benefit which he had received, he provided that his eldest son, John, should have the advantage of a college education. He was prepared for Harvard by the aid both of the Congregational minister and of the Episcopal reader at Braintree, was a good student of his class, which sent many eminent men into the world, and in due time graduated at the age of twenty in 1755. The talent which he displayed in the commencement exercises, attracted the notice of a person present, charged with a commission to supply a Latin master for the Grammar School of Worcester. He applied to Adams, who undertook the task, and shortly after set out on the horse sent for him by the town's people, making the sixty miles' journey in a single day. This transfer from the home sphere was highly favorable to his development: he was thrown upon his own resources among strangers, and doubtless the privations, and little vexations of his schoolmaster's life, stimulated his independent nature to further exertions.

The school appears at first to have been very distasteful to his aspiring mind; but he became reconciled to its duties, and doubtless profited by the discipline which he himself administered. "I find," says he, after some months' occupation at this drudgery in shaping the crude material of the Worcester nurseries, "I find by repeated observation and experiment in my school, that human nature is more

easily wrought upon and governed by promises and encouragement and praise, than by punishment and threatening and blame"—a sentence which should be grafted in the memory of every schoolmaster in the land.

The pedagogue is not altogether given over to mending pens, the agreeable alternations of birching and feruling or a-b-c-ing the boys, of which he humorously complains, but finds time to store his mind with good reading, makes acquaintance with the writings of such political philosophers as Gordon and Bolingbroke, and is ambitious of the society of the place, always conscious that John Adams should be somebody in the world, and that it is but an act of common justice to himself to take all proper means to secure the position. The house of Colonel James Putnam, an able lawyer of the place, is open to him; thither he frequently resorts, and after awhile, the law securing his attention—he had by this time pretty well argued himself out of the New England orthodoxy, and so given up any thoughts of the pulpit—proposes to study the profession with his friend. Mr. Putnam consents, and Mrs. Putnam makes provision in the house for the student, who is also to continue in charge of the urchins at the school. The legal apprenticeship continues two years, during which it is to be regretted that the Diary is silent, when John Adams takes leave of the population of Worcester, little and great, to seek admission to the Colonial bar. He takes up his residence with his father at Braintree, or Quincy, as it is now called, at the old paternal dwelling, and one day in October, 1758, goes to Boston to be introduced by Attorney-General Gridley, the father of the bar, to the Superior Court, and is admitted Attorney at Law in his Majesty's Courts of the Province.

The attorney relaxes none of his diligence in attention to the old law, in the study of laborious volumes, over which the dust has long gathered in legal libraries. Those were the days before Blackstone, when no republican road had been marked out to the secret places of the profession, when the maxim of Coke, the *viginti annorum lucubrationes*, was still in vogue, when no Lord Brougham or reviser of the statutes had risen to prepare the smooth pathway of legal reform. Reading the entries of these grave old studies, burdened with the traditions of English centuries, from Bracton and Fleta, Coke and Fortescue, we may ask, "Where be his quiddets now, his quillets, his cases, his tenures, and his tricks?" Gone with the old wigs and colonial state, and we need sigh no alas! at the reminiscence.

We see Adams, in these years of opening manhood, lighted along his daily path by the cheerful, pleasant Diary, the man of the world and of society, emerging from the old formalism; the independent thinker, built on the antiquarian student, as he gathers strength from discussion, and takes the measure of the leaders of that day. He is not backward in entering into controversy with, and judging some of them, but he retires at night to be a more rigid censor of himself. There is a sufficient stock of vanity in some of

his revelations, but there is a greater diffidence; and he manages to blend the two into a good working union, diligence furnishing the bottom, and vanity being only the spur to his honorable career. There is some vainglory, perhaps, in his writing down, even privately for himself, how he spent his evenings in company with a book at the fireside, while Doctor Gardiner, Billy Belcher, Stephen Cleverly, the Quincys, and other young fellows of the town, are playing cards and drinking punch at the tables: but it is not the less true that he is thereby preparing himself to emerge from poverty, receive fees, bear Parson Smith's daughter as his wife to his home, and in good time support the duties of the State. Having mentioned this marriage, we may here, a little out of date, state that the event occurred in October, 1764; that the lady, the fair Abigail, was the daughter of the Rev. William Smith, of Weymouth, and grand-daughter of Colonel John Quincy, of Mount Wollaston, of colonial fame; that she was young, and possessed accomplishments in intellect and reading, proportioned to his own, as her published letters testify; and that the union, "the source of all his felicity," continued for fifty-three years, having its only pang in absence and the final separation.

We are now to trace Adams' political career. It began with his offering public resolutions at Braintree, and his maintaining an argument in behalf of the town of Boston, addressed to the Colonial Government in opposition to the Stamp Act. He published, about the same date, several papers in the "Boston Gazette," which were reprinted in London by Thomas Hollis, who gave them the not very fortunate title, "A Dissertation on the Canon and the Feudal Law," which has probably prevented many persons looking at the tract, who would be interested by its review of the principles of the New England settlements, and its vigorous appeal to the people in the existing struggle. Notwithstanding he was looked to as a leader for the popular party, he had no sympathy with their acts of violence, and when the disturbance occurred which resulted in the firing upon the people by the British troops, he independently and humanely, a thing which should always be remembered in his honor, gave his services to Preston and the defence. This caused him some unpopularity, but did not hinder his election, immediately after, to the General Court, as the legislative body was called in Massachusetts. When the news of his election was brought to him, he made his first appearance at Faneuil Hall, and accepted the choice. It was the turning point of his career. On one side lay a profitable legal practice, in a routine dear to the legal mind; on the other a troubled sea of opposition and revolt. A popular nominee has seldom accepted an election with less of satisfaction. "I considered the step," he said, "as a devotion of my family to ruin and myself to death." Mrs. Adams burst into tears at the event, but approved the choice; the duty was clear, and the rest was piously left to Providence.

He was now a resident of Boston, but the constant labors of his profes-

sion, and the confinement of the city wearing upon his health, he resigned his seat in the Legislature, and again made his residence in Braintree, having his office in Boston. His studies, family cares, and the duties of his profession, had thus far, rather than politics, mainly engaged his attention. The time was come, however, when business was at an end, and home, to be enjoyed, must be protected. If all the leaders of opinion did not speak openly of revolt and revolution, there were probably few of them who did not feel that they were drifting rapidly towards it.

In 1774 he was appointed by the General Court one of the Representatives to the Congress at Philadelphia; his associates being Thomas Cushing, Samuel Adams, and his troublesome old friend, "Bob," now Robert Treat Paine. They journeyed together in one coach, through Hartford and New Haven to New York. At New York Adams is much taken with McDougall, particularly his open manners. The delegates are received with hospitality, so that Adams complains of not being able to see the objects of interest in the town. What were they at that time? The college, the churches, printing offices, and booksellers' shops; few indeed to be compared with the present lions, yet relatively great to the people of that day.

Passing on to Princeton, his patriotism is refreshed by a conference with President Witherspoon, "as high a son of liberty as any man in America." One of the first persons he is introduced to at Philadelphia is Charles Thomson, the perpetual Secretary of Congress, whom he understands is "the Sam Adams of Philadelphia, the life of the cause of liberty;" a valuable testimony this, by the way, if he needed such, to the popular estimate of his associate. The business of the Congress at once engages his attention. He has to study "the characters and tempers, the principles and views of fifty gentlemen, total strangers, and the trade, policy and whole interest of a dozen provinces; to learn and practise reserve in the communication of his plans and wishes." The discussions are tedious. "Every man is a great man, an orator, a critic, a statesman; and therefore every man, upon every question, must show his oratory, his criticism, and his political abilities." Yet this Congress held Washington, Jay, Patrick Henry, Samuel Adams, John Dickinson, Richard Henry Lee, Rutledge, Gadsden, and other notables, and men learnt to sigh a few years afterwards, when the representation fell into neglect, at the thought of these early deliberative giants. In fact, all great efforts have their weariness; of all things human, there is none great enough to satisfy the wants of the soul. Adams, with the rest, did his good day's work discussing a Declaration of Rights, confronting Galloway, the projector of a plan for union with England, debating the non-importation resolutions, consulting with Patrick Henry on the Petition to the King, and when the long morning work is over, dining and feasting with the wealthy citizens of Philadelphia, in admiration at the costly entertainments, and a little surprised that he is not

affected by the unusual libations of Madeira.

Returning home to Massachusetts after the short session of this body, he is chosen to the Provincial Congress, already quite busy with revolt, and when this duty is discharged, turns his pen to answer the annoying Tory arguments of Massachusettensis, Daniel Leonard, as it afterwards appeared, who was greatly cheering the hearts of the administration men in the colonies by his logical efforts in the "Gazette and Postboy." The replies of Adams, signed Novanglus, covering the old legal and historical issues, twelve in number, accomplished something of a diversion, or as the author afterwards expressed it, "had the effect of an antidote to the poison." There were several unpublished in the printer's hands, when the Battle of Lexington "changed the instruments of warfare from the pen to the sword." Three weeks afterwards he was at Philadelphia at the Second Congress, in 1775. Before his departure from Boston, he had visited the camp at Cambridge, and observed its necessities. Early on the assembling of Congress, he proposed Washington for Commander-in-Chief; "the modest and virtuous, the amiable, generous and brave," as he calls him in a letter to his wife, and has the satisfaction of accompanying him a little way out of Philadelphia towards his distant command. Franklin, who had recently bid farewell to England, was also a member of this body.

During the first session of this Congress, Adams was diligently employed in the preparatory measures which led to the Declaration of Independence and Confederation of the following year. As the time approached, his activity and boldness were displayed as the full grandeur of the scenes rose to his mind. "Objects," he wrote to William Cushing, "of the most stupendous magnitude, and measures in which the lives and liberties of millions yet unborn are intimately interested, are now before us." "Yesterday," he writes to his wife, on the third of July, 1776, on the passage of Lee's Resolution of Independence, "the greatest question was decided which ever was debated in America, and a greater, perhaps, never was nor will be decided among men;" and again the same day, in another letter to Mrs. Adams, a remarkable prophetic passage—"The second day of July, 1776, will be the most memorable epoch in the history of America. I am apt to believe that it will be celebrated by succeeding generations as the great Anniversary Festival. It ought to be commemorated, as the day of deliverance, by solemn acts of devotion to God Almighty. It ought to be solemnized with pomp and parade, with shows, games, sports, guns, bells, bonfires and illuminations, from one end of this continent to the other, from this time forward, forevermore."

Adams was on the committee for preparing the Declaration, and was active in the debate. In the absence of the present system of executive duties of government, the old Congress was compelled to resort to the awkward expedient of boards, in which the honor and efficiency, rather than the toil, were diminished by the division of labor.

Adams was made chairman of the Board of War, and was much employed in military affairs till his departure from Congress at the close of the next year.

In November, 1777, Congress, having become dissatisfied with the management of Silas Dean, in France, appointed Adams in his place. He set sail in the frigate Boston in the ensuing February, from Boston, accompanied by his son, John Quincy, then a boy of ten. The voyage was diversified by a chase and a storm, and the usual incidents of navigation. Adams, as we learn from his Diary, employed himself in observations of the discipline, the care of the men, and other points of naval regulation for which he had an eye from his duties in Congress. After a voyage of some six weeks, escaping the dreaded perils of the British cruisers, he was landed safely at Bordeaux. At Paris he took up his residence under the same roof with Dr. Franklin, and was shortly introduced by him to Vergennes and Maurepas. The domestic diplomacy of the commissioners was at first sight more formidable than that of the court. They were quite at odds with one another. Lee with Franklin and Deane, the general mischief-monger of the party. Adams saw the source of the difficulty in the mingling of diplomatic, commercial, and pecuniary transactions, and advised that these duties should be divided. In accordance with his suggestions, Congress made the division, creating Franklin minister at Paris, and sending Arthur Lee to Madrid. Oddly enough, Adams, the mover of the resolution, was left out of the programme entirely. Finding nothing to do in the way of government employ, and indisposed to be an idle observer of the Parisians, though he envies his "venerable colleague," as he calls Franklin, then seventy, his privileges with the ladies, and is readily pleased with the sights about him, he is bent upon returning home, and an opportunity at length offering itself in the departure of the French ambassador, the Chevalier de la Luzerne, he sets sail from Lorient, June 17, 1779.

The frigate Sensible arrived at Boston on the second of August; within a week he was elected by his townspeople, of Braintree, their delegate to the Convention to frame a Constitution for Massachusetts. The honor and responsibility of much of the work fell into his hands; but before it was completed, he was again summoned to the foreign service of his country, as minister to negotiate with Great Britain. Embarking in the Sensible, the French frigate in which he had returned, he was landed in Gallicia, travelled thence through Spain to Bayonne, a journey of which his Diary gives an interesting account, and arrived at Paris in February, 1780. Obstacles were here thrown in the way of his negotiation with England by the minister, Vergennes, who wished to keep the foreign policy of America under his control in subordination to French interests. The influence which the important aid rendered to America by the French government had given to her councils, occasioned much embarrassment in the adjustment of the treaty with England. It is a painful

portion of the history of America, this conflict of intrigue and benefits, of love of America and hatred of England; of Lafayette and Vergennes, smoothed over by the gratitude of Congress and the compliments of the monarchy, to break out into insidious plotting and open assault under the Revolution. This French imbroglio is henceforth to give John Adams a vast deal of trouble. Vergennes suspects his fidelity to the French anti-Anglican policy, and Adams, with Jay, thinks the Frenchman will sacrifice the interests of America. The negotiations are finally brought to a close by a body of commissioners charged with the work, embracing Adams, Franklin, Jay, Jefferson, and Laurens. In the meantime, Adams is busy in Holland, cultivating the Dutch capitalists, preparing the way for a loan and a treaty of alliance. That his country may be put upon a proper footing for these negotiations, he employs his pen in John Luzac's "Leyden Gazette," an organ of much service to America in the Revolution, and takes other means of disseminating correct information. That his articles might have more authority, he sent the communication to be first published in an English journal, that they might be thence transferred to the Dutch Gazette. He also drew up a series of replies to the inquiries of a gentleman of Holland touching American affairs, which have been often published, and which now appear in the collection of his writings with the title, "Twenty-six letters upon interesting subjects respecting the Revolution of America." The prospects of a loan were broken up for a time by the war between Holland and England, in which an alleged alliance with America, which did not exist, was made the pretence of wanton aggression. But Adams, single-handed, persevered. He was presently reinforced by special authority from home, and had the satisfaction at last, not only of procuring a valuable loan, but of securing the recognition of his country by Holland as an independent power. This treaty of alliance was completed in October, 1782.

In the month following the conclusion of the negotiations in Holland, Adams, with Jay and Franklin, signed, at Paris, the preliminary articles of peace with England. He shared with Jay his suspicions of Vergennes; and Franklin, being led by their convictions, the responsibility was taken of carrying on the negotiation independently of France, and even contrary to the orders of Congress. The definitive treaty was not signed till the next September. When Adams had put his signature to this important instrument, he immediately set out for England to regain his health, which had been much impaired by his confinement and labors and a recent severe illness. His visit at this time was unofficial. He appears to have enjoyed with his usual zest the sights of the metropolis, in procuring admission to which he found his countryman, Benjamin West, as influential as a prime minister. In the lobby of the House of Lords he had the gratification of hearing the gentleman usher of the black rod "roar out with a very loud voice, where is Mr. Adams, Lord

Mansfield's friend?" The painter, West, remembering the denunciations of Murray against his country in that same House of Lords, said to Adams, "this is one of the finest finishings in the picture of American Independence."

His next diplomatic employment was as a commissioner with Franklin and Jefferson, to negotiate treaties of peace with the European nations. These engagements abroad having now assumed something of a permanent character, he was joined by Mrs. Adams, whom he hastened from the Continent, on her arrival in England, to conduct to his residence at Auteuil, in the suburb of Paris, in the summer of 1784. In February, 1785, Congress appoints John Adams the first American minister to Great Britain, and in May he is installed in the English capital. Friendly as his reception by the king appears to have been, it was not followed by a fair reciprocity towards America. Peace had indeed been made, and the minister received, but Congress was honored by no British representative calling at her doors. The relations of the two countries were in fact yet of the most unsettled character; questions of commercial intercourse, of a restrictive nature, were pressed against the Americans; the western posts were retained; on the other hand, the unsettled relations of the States to one another at home, were at variance with a just and dignified foreign policy. After weathering for awhile these disheartening conditions, Adams, having rendered such services as he could to his country in a new loan negotiation with Holland and conferences with his fellow-commissioner, Jefferson, at Paris, tired of the ineffectual struggle with difficulties and against prejudice, at the close of 1787, requested his recall. His time, however, had not been altogether taken up with these foreign affairs. His famous work, the "Defence of the Constitutions of Government of the United States of America," was produced at this period. It grew out of some remarks by the French philosopher, Turgot, on the Constitutions of the State in which the adoption of English usages was objected to, and preference given to a single authority of the nation or assembly over a balanced system of powers. Adams extended the work to three volumes, in which he brought to bear upon the subject a vast amount of political reading, particularly in reference to the Italian Republics. The effect of this long discussion, like that of its sequel, the Discourses on Davila, is much weakened by its form, for Adams, with much spirit as a writer, is defective in his longer works in manner and method. If his style of writing had been formed in early life, like that of Franklin and Madison, upon the reading of the Spectator instead of the declamations of Bolingbroke, in so far as study can modify the genius of a man, his works would have been better for the training. John Adams loses as much as Franklin gains by his way of putting a thing in his writings.

The spring of 1788 restored him again to his native land. It was the period of the adoption of the Federal Constitution, and when that instrument went fully into effect in the meeting of the first Congress at New York, he was

found to be chosen Vice-President, receiving the greatest number of votes of the electors next to Washington. He received thirty-four out of sixty-nine, the vote of Washington being unanimous. He held this office, presiding in the Senate, during both terms of Washington's administration, to which he gave active and often important assistance. In 1797, he succeeded to the Presidency by a vote of seventy-one over the sixty-eight of Jefferson. He found the country in imminent danger of a conflict with France. The principles of an English or French alliance were the tests of the party politics of the times. Jay's Treaty, sanctioning the neutrality policy of Washington, had indeed been adopted by Congress, but after a struggle which left many elements of opposition. The full force of these was directed against the Federal party, of which Adams was now the official representative. He was destined to receive aid, however, from an unexpected quarter. The assumptions and aggressions of the French Directory, on the arrival of Marshall and Gerry, as negotiators, developed a new phase of villainy in a contemptuous effort to bribe the American Commissioners. This insult at length opened the eyes and roused the spirit of the nation. Adams was for awhile exceedingly popular; addresses were poured in upon him, the country armed, commissioned a navy, Washington was again called into the field, and with Hamilton at his side, arranged means of military defence. Thus far he was with the strong anti-Gallican Federal party. He was thought, however, to fall off from it in some of his measures for reconciliation with France, which, however, by the turn which placed Napoleon in authority, had a successful issue; some of the acts of his administration, as the Alien and Sedition laws, were powerful instruments with an unscrupulous opposition, and he had, moreover, to bear the disaffection of Hamilton. There was little liberality or charity for defects of taste and temper. The embarrassments arising from these things clouded his administration, which closed with a single term, and the obstinate struggle which resulted in the election of Jefferson. A private affliction, in the loss of his second son, Charles, came also at this moment, to darken the shades of his retirement. He had no heart to witness the inauguration of his successor, and left Washington abruptly for Quincy.

His biographer tells us, as an index of his privacy, that while the year before his letters could be counted by thousands, those of his first year after were scarcely a hundred. Like Jay's protracted age at Bedford, his was a long retirement, but Adams had not in his disposition the quietude of Jay. The restlessness, the activity of pursuit which had driven the poor New England boy to the thrones of monarchs, and had seated him in the Presidency of the Republic, was not to subside without a murmur. The old statesman enjoyed a vicarious public life in the rapid advancement of his son in the councils of his country to the Presidency; the irritations of controversy lent their aid to agitate the torpor of

political neglect, in the series of letters vindicating his course, which he published in the "Boston Patriot;" while he occasionally revived for himself and the eye of posterity, past scenes of his history in an Autobiography. In 1818, in his eighty-third year, his wife, his "dearest friend," the gentle and accomplished, one of the mothers of America, full of the sweetest and grandest memories of the past, was taken from him. His last public service was in occasional attendance at the Convention of Massachusetts for the formation of a new Constitution, when he was eighty-five. He was not able to say, but he made his wish known, that the new instrument should express perfect religious tolerance. It was the liberal creed of his youth; it had been growing stronger with his age. Returning to his early friendship, he corresponded with Jefferson. The two venerable fathers of the Republic, Jefferson at the age of eighty-three, John Adams at that of ninety, died together on the birthday of the nation, July 4th, 1826. A few days before his death, the orator of his native town of Quincy, where he lay in his home, called upon Adams for a toast, to be presented at the approaching anniversary. "Independence forever!" was the reply. As the sentiment was delivered at the banquet, amidst ringing plaudits, the soul of the dying patriot was passing from earth to eternity.

We have brought the long and busy life to a close, from boyhood to fourscore and ten. A nation has been born in that time, and one of its founders, after reaching its summit of authority, has seen his son at its head. We have the fullest revelations of this man. It was his passion not only to be employed in great events, but to write down the least of himself. We have his books, learned tomes, his official and personal Correspondence, his Reminiscences, his Diary, his Autobiography, the domestic letters of his wife. He was bent upon declaring himself in every form. What is the impression? Upon the whole, of a man of active conscientious mind, employed from youth in study and thought; diligent in affairs; lacking some of the judicious arts of the writer and statesman, which might have better set off his fair fame with the world. The formative period of his life, his early professional training, has a better lesson for the youth of his country than that of Franklin, for it has fewer errata. Egotism is sometimes apparent, but it led him to know as well as proclaim himself. His sensibility may occasionally be taken for vanity, but it is oftener the indication of true feeling. Had he been more cautious, he might have possessed less heart. He had his weaknesses. He was passionate, we are told, but forgiving; serious in manner, but capable of genial relaxation; of a disposition answering to his frame and look, with more of solidity than elevation; something of the sensual, relieved by a touch of humor, about him; nothing of the idealist: a broad, capacious head, capable of assertion and action.

ANCESTRAL HOME OF ADAMS FAMILY BOUGHT IN ENGLAND

NEW YORK, November 9.—Purchase of the ancestral home of John Adams and his son, John Quincy Adams, second and sixth Presidents of the United States, at Flore, Northampshire, England, has been announced by the board of governors of Sulgrave Institution. The Adams cottage is within a few miles of Sulgrave Manor, ancestral home of George Washington.

It was announced that a spot covering a radius of eight miles in Northampshire is the cradle of many now famous American families, including four Presidents—Washington, the two Adamses and President Harding. Research workers, the Sulgrave governors announced, have learned that the families of Benjamin Franklin, William Penn and the poet, Henry W. Longfellow, all came from this district also.

The Adams cottage was bought for $4,000, which was contributed to the Sulgrave Institution by Charles Francis Adams, of Boston, a direct descendant of John Adams; Larz Anderson, former ambassador to Japan, and George Wigglesworth, of Boston and Edward D. Adams, Edward S. Harkness and Rodman Wanamaker, of New York.

The cottage, which served as a Quaker meeting house after the second President's ancestors had emigrated to the United States, will be restored. A memorial window to President Harding will be built by the institution in the church of Sulgrave, in the yard of which several of Mr. Harding's ancestors are buried.

A memorial tablet to President

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JOHN ADAMS' LETTER BRINGS GOODLY SUM

Interesting Epistle of Former President Sells for $17.50 in Philadelphia at Recent Sale.

An interesting letter of John Adams, written nine years before he died and while he was living in retirement at Quincy, Mass., sold for $17.50 in Philadelphia the other day, says the New York Times. The letter is dated Montezillo, Jan. 14, 1817. In part it is as follows:

"Montezillo, in the Spanish language means 'a little hill,' . . . Neither Montezillo nor Montecello deserves many of your thoughts; but the Italian republics, like the Grecian, deserve your serious attention. There is not a city in Italy that has not its historian. All in the same strain; eternal squabbles between democrats and aristocrats for want of a madiatorial balance between them. . . . We are so much disposed to such dispute, quarrels and civil commotions that I wonder our orthodox federalists have not accused Jefferson of idolatry in reviving the worship of the host of heaven on the 'high places' of his lofty mountain. Nothing but ignorance and want of wit has prevented them. Montezillo, the little hill, cannot be charged with the worship of the sun; for it is the very contrast, the very antithesis of Montecello, the lofty mountain —vive la bagatelle! If I should live thirty of forty years longer, become as opulent as Pliny, the younger, and can acquire a style nulle dulcior like his, I will write you a description of my villa and Montezille. . . . Editors and scribblers intermeddle very impertinently in arranging a cabinet for the presiden Mr. Monroe, I hope, will follow his ow judgment without regard to their tittle tattle."

In the same sale were two letters e John Quincy Adams, written during hi presidency. In one, dated September 2(1827, he refers to the death of Georg Canning, the British statesman, whicl took place August 8 of that same year "Mr. Canning's decease," Adams writes. "has buried in my bosom all the feelings of resentment which his conduct toward us had kindled." The letter brought $8. The other letter, which sold for $1.50, is dated August 22, 1828. In it Adams says: "Rome was essentially a military and conquering republic. The military character and military renown were therefore in the highest estimation from the foundation of the city until the age of Cicero. She had, before him, hosts of heroes, few statesmen, and no philosophers. But the superiority of the statesman over warrior was never more signally manifested than in his person when compared with Julius Caesar."

For Adam Andrew Family see also: CORNELL FAMILY FILE

Adams Family

See: Archives for this collection

INVENTORY D.C.#1

Chester Adams Letters
Dates: 1862-1874
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Description: One file folder in a document case

Content and Scope of Collection

This is a collection of five handwritten letters addressed to Chester Adams of Terre Haute with dates ranging from 1862 to 1874.

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The first four letters, from J.P. Usher appear to be in regard to the sale of farm land and related business activities.

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A Chester Adams appears in the 1850 Federal Census. His occupation is "lumber merchant".

Bradsby in the History of Vigo County, Indiana mentions a Chester Adams as a resident of the county around 1840.

A Chester Adams was living in Terre Haute in 1872 to 1878-1879. After 1879, his name no longer appears in the City Directory.

Adams Family

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June 24, 1993

I am enclosing a research report listing the Parke county sources I checked for your ancestors. There were several large Adams families in Parke and Vigo counties, but I only found one reference to Daniel (his marriage).

When I checked the every name index to the 1860 Indiana census, I didn't find a Daniel Adams in Parke county but did find a 51 year old Daniel in Cass county. The Cass county Daniel had a wife named Indiana and several Hart young adults in his household. Fortunately the census taker went well beyond the call of duty and wrote down the county, as well as the state, of birth for each person! Sure enough, Daniel was born in Pulaski county KY, and the teen aged Adams children in his household were born in Parke county! A copy of the census is enclosed.

It appears that Mary Beauchamp Adams died and that Daniel married a widow with several children. I didn't find the marriage in our indexes to the Parke or Cass county marriages. However, the Cass county index starts with 1850, and the marriage may have taken place before that date. I also noticed that a 14 year old Hart child and a 12 year old Adams child were born in Huntington county. Perhaps the marriage took place there.

Nancy Sherrill
Genealogy Librarian

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DATE:_____

VCPL RESEARCH REPORT FOR PARKE COUNTY

The item(s) circled below indicate the record(s) searched for the surname(s) of: Adams: Daniel + Mary (Beauchamp) Henry, Pheobe, James H., John Q.
in response to your request of 6-14-93.

(1) Miscellaneous Card File:
Did not find Daniel, etc. Found Many other Adams

(2) Surname File:
Did not find _____ Found Large Beauchamp Family file but no mention of Mary who m. Daniel Adams. (over)

(3) Parke County, Indiana, Index of Names of Persons and of Firms (in the county histories)
Did not find Daniel, Henry Found Adams, James — Beckwith p 63, 226, 262; Hist. Parke + Vermillion p 172, 209; Portrait + Biog. Rec p 121; (over)

(4) Parke County, Indiana, Marriage Records Book A (1831-1860)
Did not find _____ Found Many Adams
p 8 Daniel Adams + Mary Beacham 3 July 1835
p 146 Adams, James H. + Melissa J. McCampbell 26 April 1860

(5) Parke County, Indiana, Land Records by Brown
Did not find Daniel, etc Found Many other Adams

(6) Parke County, Indiana, Old Land Entry Book by Weller
Did not find Daniel, etc Found Many other Adams

(7) Abstracts of Parke County, Indiana, Guardian Bonds 1832-1858
Did not find Daniel, etc Found Other Adams

(8) Parke County, Indiana, Will Abstracts (1833-1893, in 3 vols.) and Will Index, 1833-1906
Did not find Daniel, etc. Found Other Adams

(9) Three Sections of Indexes of the Parke County Atlas of 1874
Did not find Daniel, etc. Found Many other Adams

(10) Census Index for the year 1860:
Did not find _____ Found No Daniel Adams in Parke Co
A 51 year old Daniel, born in KY, in Cass Co p 691
19 year old Phebe Adams in Cass Co p 691 - No Phoebe in Parke Co.

(Other): (Also check other side)

w PA Index to Cass County Marriages 1850 - 1920 - Many Adams - No Daniel, Phoebe,

#2 Five large Adams Family files but I did not see any mention of Daniel.

#3 Adams, John - Beckwith p 22, 226, 308
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WPA Index to Cass County Death Records, 1882-1920 - No Daniel Adams

June 14, 93

Dear Sir:

I'm writing to you in requested for some information. I'm working on the Adams Family history.

I'm work on the Daniel Adams whose birth occured in Pulaski Ct, Ky on Feb 14, 1809 married to Mary Beauchamp July 3, 1835 in Parke County.

They had four children - Henry 1836 ; Phoebe ; James H. ; John Q 1845

Any information you have will be appreciate. Also if you have any reader.

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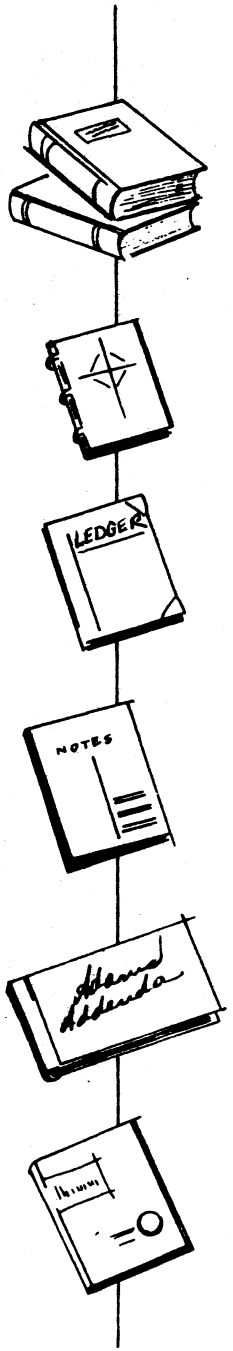

In our last issue of 1971 we were talking about microfilming the James Taylor Adams collection in Wise, Virginia. Some of you knew Mr. Adams as we found, and filmed, your letters. A whole new generation of you never heard of James before we introduced him to you,

WELL, WE WENT, WE SAW, AND WE CONQUERED! And we're glad we did.

We spent nine days in Clinch Valley College, and enjoyed its hospitality. Dr. Edward L. Henson, History professor, Mr. Luther W. Addington, President of Southwestern Virginia Historical Society and the college newspaper editor, Mr. Joseph Wolff, joined in making our visit most pleasant. We are further indebted to the library staff for its co-operation and interest.

We returned to St. Louis with thirteen hundred feet of Adams material. Thirteen reels of film were sent to Clinch Valley College. The collection is now located in two places. Perhaps this effort, on our part, will help preserve the original papers and make them more accessible to Adams researchers.

Throughout this issue and those to come, James Taylor Adams will be a name oft repeated. Material used from his collection will be noted as: JTA COLL. 5:101/22, JTA COLL. 2:66/4, etc.,. This numerical code is the reel, box and index number. This information is essential to relocating material.

For those of you who want to know something about James Taylor Adams we have taken excerpts from his biography and included notes (in parenthesis, and in the concluding paragraphs) to up-date it.

James Taylor Adams

A BRIEF BIOGRAPHY
MOUNTAIN POET
HISTORIAN

Our motor car creaked to a stop on the sloping edge of a huge boulder in a rock-strewn road which cuts a winding gash through the foothills of the Cumberland mountain region of Wise County, Virginia. There loomed ahead, at the upper side of the road, a low and rambling board house. Dense laurel thickets concealed a narrow stream tumbling through the ravine below. A crude sign nailed to the walls of the building proclaimed this to be "Big Laurel Post Office," the home and workshop combined of James Taylor Adams, poet, historian and founder of the Cumberlandcrafters. (Apparently James did not consider the Adams collection an outstanding feat.) Beside him in the doorway stood his son, James Taylor Adams II, with a stick of type in his ink grimed hands.

"'Light and come in," was the invitation of this mountaineer who is becoming widely known for his efforts to save from oblivion the lore, the legend and the handiwork of the inhabitants of the Cumberlands...
...revealing a not uncommon trait of the mountaineer who, though often considered uncouth and unlettered by outsiders, has a keen appreciation of stories of fact dealing with historic events of pioneer times...
...efforts to eradicate the handicap of illiteracy and bring about a better understanding of the mountains and the people of the uplands...
...this entire region is inhabited by a distinctive class of people, descendants of the Highlanders of England, Scotland, Ireland, and, to a lesser extent, Northern Germany...
...among these highlanders is found what is perhaps the purest strain of Anglo Saxon blood in America...
...there have been preserved many of the Elizabethan ballads, ancient traditions and Chaucerian legends.....(JTA collected such ballads and hoped to publish them. His collection also included "Gallows" songs)...
Inaccessibility of the Cumberland region left these people in virtual isolation from the outside world for more than a century.
Adams with his printing plant reminiscent of the hand set and foot-power days, a circulating library specializing in the history of the hill country, and a museum for housing specimens of the handicraft of the mountaineer, hopes to rescue and preserve in permanent form most of the obscure historic facts of the Cumberlands.
The "Cumberlandcrafters" have not yet grown beyond the family stage. In addition to Adams, himself, there is his son James and three daughters, Virginia, Naomi and Lenore, who is "learning the cases" at ten years of age.
James revealed that he has some ambitious schemes of his own. He is deeply interested in the work of famous type designers and plans to cut a font of type from the root of the native laurel...
There are eight children in all, but these four do all the typesetting, presswork and binding turned out by the small plant, in addition to aiding in the housework and other duties.

Adams' plan had its beginning when he was a lad of ten years and still living in Letcher County, Kentucky. This mountain borderland had become notorious as a haunt of the lawless...(James aspired to write about them.)

"I had learned to read fairly well when several copies of "The Chicago Ledger" and "Saturday Blade", once popular sensational feature weeklies, came into my hands." (He was impressed by the lurid tales and decided to write.)
He did break into newspaper writing, picking up an occasional story during his years of restless wanderings from one job to another among the Cumberlands and in the Ozarks of Arkansas and Missouri.

The beginning of Adams' project necessarily has been on a small scale. Bigger things, however, are planned. Seven acres of land nearby have been acquired on which he has erected a log cabin and a stone house to take care of an enlarged printing plant, library and museum. (In 1950 he was planning to use the site to build a school for afflicted and needy mountain children on this site.)

The life story of James Taylor Adams furnishes an interesting picture of the ups and downs which beset the path of the average youth from the hill country. He was born February 3, 1892, on the headwaters of Colley Creek, Letcher County, Kentucky, the son

of Joseph and Mary Jane Short Adams.
His father, a "Hardshell" Baptist preacher was gentle and mild in manner. "He refused to send me to school, perhaps thinking the long and arduous daily trip was too much for one of my age. Instead, he bought an old McGuffey speller and undertook to act as tutor. I sprang a surprise on my father, however, when he arrived with the speller, demonstrating that I already knew all the letters and could spell many of the short, simple words. This first step had been acquired by close study of the printed pages of newspapers pasted on the walls of our home, a common substitute, then as now for wallpaper. The old speller was memorized from cover to cover and this, with about one month's attendance at each of six backwoods schools sums up my educational advantages."

...His father died when he was six years old ...the family removed to Virginia in Adams' boyhood, and on December 16, 1908, when sixteen years old, he married his first cousin, Miss Dicey Roberts, in Wise County. (She is living and was interviewed by your co-editors in the small home they had shared.. The living room is unique as it is paneled in mahogany...another accomplishment of JTA.)

"There was little leisure, and leisure is one of the necessary aids to progress in writing. I tried all sorts of jobs, anything to earn an honest dollar." "I became an insurance agent, then salesman for a nursery concern. This latter job was more to my liking. It gave me an opportunity to get around among people close to the soil, talk to them, and hear their stories of triumphs and failures. In this job, I thought, I could study human nature; I could begin writing."

Alert to opportunity, Adams succeeded in having a post-office established at Big Laurel, with himself as postmaster, in 1913. With the aid of his wife, he attended to the duties of the office while going ahead with his work selling fruit trees.
About this time Adams was attached with "Arkansas Fever"...he turned the postoffice over to a neighbor, shipped his house hold goods by freight, loaded his wife, mother and baby into a one-horse wagon...
...the emigrants located a homestead and began housekeeping...flat broke...discouraged. He began selling hursery stock..."then came my first piece of luck"...a sensational murder occurred in the same county. "Going to the scene, I made a number of pictures and devoted my best efforts to writing a detailed story of the tragedy. The story was rushed to the "Pennsylvania Grit" and the $18 dollar check seemed a small fortune"...
The glamour wore off and he returned to the Cumberlands and the postoffice and later opened a grocery store. (A small store is on the Big Laurel acreage. Son, Jeames, is the proprietor today.)

The wanderlust returned and Adams alternately engaged in selling insurance and nursery stock in West Virginia, Kentucky and Virginia. He dug coal for about one year.
Again, he turned west, locating in Taney County, Missouri, and in 1916 went to Baxter County, Arkansas. During the war, business boomed. "I made such a splendid record that I was sent to Booneville, Missouri, the headquarters of the company. A year later I removed to the insurance business in West Virginia". Again, fortune frowned and he returned to mining until he earned sufficient capital to take him back to Arkansas... but again, Virginia called, and he returned, and he opened his circulating library. The inquiry of a woman patron for a copy of "The

Education of Henry Adams" directed his interest toward genealogy, especially of the Adams family, and as a result "I have built up a large collection of books, documents and pamphlets dealing with this subject."
Adams went back to the old home in 1923, the Big Laurel post office was re-established, and he resumed his position as postmaster. (Adams later was investigated by postal of= ficials who could not understand the large amount of cancellations in the tiny post office. These, no doubt, could be explained by the 'evidence' your co-editors microfilmed.)

It was here he obtained employment on the weekly newspaper at Norton, Virginia.
The consolidation in 1927 of two plants left one Norton newspaper with a surplus printing press on hand. Short on cash, but long on nerve, Adams determined to buy the equipment and establish his own newspaper, at Wise. He struck a bargain with the owner of the plant giving him his collection of books in lieu of $1,000.

Adams recalled an old printer advised him against the move. "This proved a sad, but true prediction." It failed!
He started the "Vagabond Gazette" in March 28, 1928 which "oozed out" after 30 issues.

Four other newspapers were launched and died for lack of support.

While struggling along with his newspapers and job printing plant at Wise, Adams published "Adams Family Records" containing a genealogical and biographical history of all branches of the Adams family. He has also helped compile and edit a number of family histories which have been published by the Cumberlandcrafters.

Regretfully, Adams moved his printing equipment to Big Laurel where, despite all the vicissitudes he experienced he established "The Cumberland Empire", a very pretentious monthly magazine...appearing in January 1932 and dying after the fifth issue. His publishing days were over!

He completed a survey of the historical antiquities of Wise County, Virginia, under Authority of the W.P.A. (Evidence of county court records, deed books, etc.,. appear in the JTA Collection).

The biography ends here. It appears to have been written about 1937. Adams' correspondence was continued but dwindled to nothing by 1954 when a to-be-fatal illness struck.

The small Adams Library was saved through efforts of Mrs. Helen Lewis of Wise and Miss Louise Savage of the Alderman Library in Charlottesville, Mr. Addington and Dr. Henson. The collection is housed in the Clinch Valley College Library as is the entire collection of the Southwestern Virginia Historical Society

James Taylor Adams was a self-taught man who liked nothing better than to investigate the world and its inhabitants and to write about them. Many composition-type notebooks are found in his collection brimming with interviews, cemeteries, family genealogies, etc., His stories are prolific with puncuations

His stories are prolific with punctuation which is inevitable when one writes in the vernacular of the mountain folk which James often did.

James became a beloved individual to Ruth and me as we filmed his collection. We soon

learned he filed his letters in a coal bucket----and those brownish marks? Yep, he was a tobacco-chewer from way back!

James had so many things going at once he seldom completed anything. What is of importance is---he left all of us a legacy:

There are undocumented letters from persons now long deceased telling of family legends, naming names and birth dates, relating fact and fiction, and giving advice. There are published and unpublished family histories of the pamphlet type. If James had hard-bound books they were not in evidence in this collection Persons had already removed some of the Adams material before its 'saviours' arrived. Should someone read this article who has a portion of the collection, let us hope he will contact Adams Addenda so it too, can be microfilmed.

In the meantime Adams Addenda has brought the collection to another home. Away from the land James loved, but to a place we can work on it and with it. It is available to a subscriber by appointment by simply telling us when you will be in the area. Un-indexed, as it is, it will be a laborious task to read through the unsorted pages. But you will not be handling soiled and deteriorating pages, nor will you have to unfold, unstaple, unpaper-clip, unseal or undo anything. Microfilming was a tedious, tiresome chore of nine days at a grueling pace. But we did it---and we're glad!

We aspire to index by place and by surnames, other than Adams. An index of the Adamses would seemingly be impossible. The John Adamses would surely fill a whole card file of several drawers. However, we are open for suggestions as to how to do this. If you can offer suggestions or help----------

SPEAK UP NOW ! !

Dot Griffith per Ruth Seibel.....

Dot Griffith

A woman rushed into the courthouse and asked for the "reprobate" judge. She said her husband had died "detested", that she had three "infidel" children and wanted to be appointed "executioneer".

Do you have LETCHER COUNTY, KENTUCKY, Adams problems?

Did you know the 1880 and 1850 Census are transcribed and available?

1880.....$3.00
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BOTH.....$5.00

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63114

A visit to KENTUCKY HISTORICAL SOCIETY in Frankfort is rewarding to area researchers. An envelope file of surnames holds many secrets. The Bible record below is an example:

JOHN ADAMS, born April 4th, 1758, died March 18, 1825.
ELIZABETH -----, his wife, born June 25th 1768.
JOHN ADAMS, JR., born Feby. 22th, 1795, died Oct., 23, 1856.
ELIZABETH HAMPTON, his wife, born March 4th 1793, died Sept. 3, 1834.
JOHN ADAMS, JR. married June 22, 1820, their
--Children--
MARY J. ADAMS, b. June 20th, 1821
d. Jany. 15, 1901
ELIZABETH NANCY ADAMS, b. Feb. 1st, 1823
d. June 13, 1843.
DAVID HAMPTON ADAMS, b. Aug. 10, 1825
d. Jany. 10, 1856

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C H I L D R E N O F J O H N A D A M S
S E N I O R

TRAVIS ADAMS, B. May 2nd, 1786
FRANCIS ADAMS, b. March 15, 1788
MARY ADAMS, b. Jany. 26, 1792
JOHN ADAMS JR., b. Feby. 22, 1795
ELIZABETH ADAMS, b. June 29, 1798
NANCY ADAMS, b. Sept. 26, 1799
JANE ADAMS, b. Nov., -- 1801
WILLIAM ADAMS, b. Jany. 7, 1804
SYDNEY ADAMS, b. Nov. 4, 1806
LOWREY ADAMS, b. Jany. 7, 1808
DOLLY ADAMS, b. Nov. 30, 1809

Although the Bible record did not reveal the homeplace of this family the abstract of a will found in Clarke County, Kentucky does. The will, written in 1820 was recorded in April 1825. Its author? ...JOHN ADAMS.....

The wife was ELIZABETH and the children were given as:
TRAVIS, POLLY MATTER, FRANCES RYAN, ELIZABETH BROWNING, JOHN, NANCY, JINCE(Jane) WILLIAM, LUCINDA(Cindy or Sydney), LOWREY & DOLLY.

Another will is for the father of ELIZABETH HAMPTON ADAMS, DAVID HAMPTON. Recorded Feb. 28, 1842, he includes ELIZABETH ADAMS as his daughter.

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A D A M S A D D E N D A has had several inquiries about the Clarke Co., Ky. Adamses and we wonder if any among you can relate the above family with the following property owners?

JOHN, JESSE, ELISHA, SPENCER and NATHAN had land transactions before 1810.

By 1814 STEPHEN, WILLIAM, ROBERT and HARRISON were added to deed indexes.

We will be most happy to receive any information and to share it with others.

Cemetery Inscriptions

"These seven inscriptions were taken from the graveyard at Aunt Susan Adams' old place which used to belong to Pa's (James Darwin Adams, 1818-1892) grandfather, William Adams d. 1838, and where Pa and Uncle Will were raised by their grandfather."
[Notes above and following were made by Mary Eliza Adams Garvin, widow of William N. Garvin. She died 1906 in Louisville.]

WILLIAM ADAMS, born Sept. 4, 1763, Died May 13, 1838.
MARY (ROWAN) wife of WILLIAM ADAMS, Born May 3, 1760, Died Sept. 3, 1823
MARTIN ADAMS, Born 1787, Died 1827, aged about 40 years.
"His wife, our grandmother, NANCY DUERSON ADAMS, died in Daviess Co., Ky. about 1849 and was about 55 years old. She was buried on a high hill near Yellow Creek Church. After we left there the creek took a turn and washed under the hill and carried away many of the graves, hers among others."
MARY ADAMS (POLLY), Born Oct. 18, 1793, Died Nov. 6, 1858, aged 68 years & 24 days
SUSAN ADAMS, Born March 6, 1798, Died Jan. 9 1871, aged 72 years 10 mo.
DR. WILLIAM ADAMS, Born Feb. 14, 1795, Died April 1, 1864, aged 69 years, 7 mos. and 14 days.
MARGARET MAGRUDER wife of Dr. WILLIAM ADAMS Born in Virginia, May 24, 1800, Died January 24, 1878.

This old family graveyard is located on a bluff above Harrod's Creek at a place now known as "Land O'Goshen" on Hwy. 42, east of Prospect, Kentucky
Submitted by Ruth Robinson Seibel, . . 1972

In the burial place at "OLD TOWN" Newbury, Mass., we find on the stone of ROBERT ADAMS who died in 1773, aged 71, and on it the following lines, which the rude engraver was taken pains to space out, as below, in order to make them pass for poetry:

For--near--12--years
This man an asthma had
Above--ten--years
He was not in bed,
He--to--murmur
Was never heard by won
But waited patient
Till his change did come.

Another in the same burial place must be from the pen of some theological speculator, and may interest the curious in such matter:

HERE lies in a state of perfect Oblivion, JOHN ADAMS, who died Sept. 2nd, 1811, age 79. Death hath decomposed him, and at the general resurrection, Christ will recompose him, when perception and thought shall resume their several functions and we shall become identically the same person which Deity composed him, and all be happy or miserable according to his disposition.
JTA, Reel 5:102/22

In the Ancient Burial Ground at New London, Conn., is to be found: preserved monuments.. of...ELIPHALET ADAMS and his son REV. WILLIAM ADAMS:

Here lies the Remains of the Revd. Mr. ELIPHALET ADAMS, who rested from his Labours, October 4th, A.D. 1753 In the 77th year of his age.

In memory of Revd. WILLIAM ADAMS who died Sept. 25th, 1798, in the 88th year of his age.

(Of the many letters filmed one stands in mind concerning one ALPHABET ADAMS. Wonder if the writer was referring to ELIPHALET???? [These Adams notes apparently were extracted from N.E. Genealogical Register Vol. II, No. 1, and can be found in JTA Collection, Reel 5, Box 102]

ADAMS IN WYOMING TERRITORIES
BY COUNTIES
1880 CENSUS

Lucinda, 20, s., b.Mo. Liv. with sister, Mrs John Wrisinger, Albany Co. Pg. 112
John, 36, s, Teamster, b.Md., Albany Co.,133
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W.H. Adams, 39, s., Teamster, b.Ohio, Carbon Co. p.176
G.F. Adams, 23, s., Soldier, b. Ohio, Carbon Co., p.180.
Bell Adams, 5, female, listed alone, Carbon Co., p.182.
J.B. Adams, Arabella (wife), Charles (son)., b. Ohio, R.R.Station Agent, Carbon Co., p.182 (same as above).
Thomas & Walter, age 28 & 38, brothers, Coal miners, b. Scotland, Carbon Co.,p.213
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F.E. Adams, Mary L.(wife), Mary A.(dau), b. N.Y., merchant, Laramie Co., p. 350.
William H., Sarah (wife), Lewella (dau), b. Ohio, a baker, age 32, Laramie Co., p. 379.
Arthur Adams, 20, soldier, Hospital attendant, b. Penn., Laramie Co., p. 388.
William H. Adams, 28, married, no wife listed, soldier, b.Canada, Laramie Co., p. 395.
John Addom, 32, s., laborer, b.Mo., Laramie Co., p 402.
James Addams, s., 21., laborer, b.Mo., Laramie Co., p. 412.
George J. Adams, 24, s., Cattle herder, born England, Laramie Co., p. 432.
Lucy Adams, 40, s., servant, b.Ky., Laramie Co., p. 444.
John Adams, Jennie (wife), 35, R.R.Clerk, b. Mo., Uinta Co., p. 725.
J.T.A. Collection, Reel 5, Box 101

SOFT ANSWER

Perhaps the greatest dialogue of all time occurred in the Garden of Eden when Eve came up with the eternal feminine question, "Do you love me?" Breathlessly she awaited Adam's reply, which was an immediate response, "Who else?" - The (Sacramento) Bee.

LETTERS AND EXCERPTS OF LETTERS FROM THE JAMES TAYLOR ADAMS COLLECTION will be a feature of Adams Addenda. We hope this may provide another source of 'clues'.

A 1948 letter from Carter County, Tennessee:

There is a deed recorded in the Register's Office here from SAMUEL GARLAND SR. to MOSES ADAMS which might pertain to your family.... The COPENHAVER (CUPPYHEIFER, CUPPENHEIMVER) family are pioneer settlers of Sullivan Co., Tennessee..."

A 1948 letter from Little Rock, Arkansas:

"My grandfather, ROBERT C. ADAMS, was born in Haywood Co., Tn., April 14, 1840, coming to Independence Co., Ark., in 1845, where he died in 1935...His mother was a MAGNESS...He had four bros.---WILLIAM, BENJAMIN, BRITTON, and RICHARD. He had Uncles JOE and TOM ADAMS of Tenn.,. Grandfather's father was a WILKERSON ADAMS who came to Tenn. from Ky.,. He married ELIZABETH MAGNESS. Reel 5:102/24

A 1948 letter from Colorado:

"My Great Great Grandfather, WILLIAM ADAMS married to POLLY HEAPS probably in Maryland. My Great Grandfather, JOHN ADAMS married HANNAH CREWS and lived in Harford or Cecil County, Maryland. His son, JOHN, married ELIZABETH SPRIGGS. He was born Nov. 16, 1814 in Harford County, Maryland." Reel 5:102/24

A 1925 letter from Wallace, Virginia:

"My full name is JAMES DAVID ADAMS. I was born June 12, 1856, in Montgomery Co., Va., and married on December 12, 1878.
My wife's name was SUE EMLINE LEWIS. We were married in Washington Co.Va. My wife's father was JOHN LEWIS, 1832; her mother was ELIZA LEWIS. My wife was born June 28 in Washington Co. Va.,." Reel 5:102/21

"My full name is Wm. Chas. Theo. Adams, born July 6, 1869 in Wisconsin; married Oct. 10, 1897 ELVA JANE AIKINS, born Jan. 21, 1897, daughter of CHARLES and ISABELLE(CHITWOOD) AIKINS. Wife born in Wisconsin. Married by Rev. GEORGE NUZEEM. One child: BEATRICE BELLE ADAMS, Wisconsin, Nov. 15, 1900.
My father was WILLIAM F. ADAMS, born Nov. 6, 1839, in Ohio; died in Wisconsin Sept. 1904 buried in Wisconsin. He married in Wisconsin, July 2, 1867, ARILLA, daughter of JAMES and ELIZA (ROGERS) MAINS. She was born in Wisc., and died there July 1, 1876.
Grandfather: ROBERT ADAMS, born in Ohio or Pa. He married ANNIE BALL, born in Ohio, daughter of NATHANIEL BALL. Both are buried at Salem, Wisc.,. Great-grandfather: JONATHAN ADAMS of Massachusetts ancestry; descendant of LORD BALL of England, Washington's grandfather."
Wm. C. T. ADAMS, Feb. 12, 1926.....

Newspaper Record

VIRGINIA NEWSPAPERS 1773-1820 are indexed at Virginia Historical Society, Richmond. The Adams file is presented by Ruth Seibel.

ALICE ADAMS...married WILLIAM MARSHALL, June 20, 1788. Dau. of RICHARD ADAMS. Va. Gazette & Weekly Advertiser, July 10, 1788.

ASHLEY ADAMS..Doctor ADAMS inhabitant of Petersburg, Va. died suddenly, Aug. 4, 1804.
Virginia Argus (Richmond) Aug. 8, 1804.
Virginia Herald(Fredericksburg) Aug.10,1804.
The Republican (Petersburg), Aug. 7, 1804
Petersburg Intelligencer, August 7, 1804.

ELIZABETH ADAMS....62 year old maiden lady married 20 year old BENJAMIN RHODES, April 6, 1773. (Surry Co., April 10)
Virginia Gazette(Williamsburg) April 15,1773

ELIZABETH (GRIFFIN) ADAMS....died Dec. 22, 1800. Relict of late COL. RICHARD ADAMS of Richmond.
Va. Gazette & General Advertiser, (Richmond) December 26, 1800.

ELIZABETH ADAMS....died Oct. 17, 1809, wife of COL. RICHARD ADAMS of Richmond Hill.
Virginia Argus (Richmond), Oct. 24, 1809.
Enquirer (Richmond) Oct. 20, 1809.
Visitor (Richmond) Oct. 21, 1809.

FRANCIS ADAMS JR...married MISS MARY R. NEWTON dau. of WILLIAM NEWTON, Dec. 20, 1814 at Alexandria.
National Intelligencer (D.C.) 1814.

JOHN ADAMS..of Cumberland Co., married Miss MARY E. VAUGHN, dau. of JOHN VAUGHN of this city, on Nov. 11, 1820.
Virginia Patriot (Richmond) Nov. 14, 1820.

JOSEPH ADAMS....married at Scottsville to MRS. JANE DUKE on Sept. 10, 1791.
Virginia Gazette & General Advertiser (Richmond) Sept. 14, 1791.

JUDITH ADAMS....consort of THOMAS B. ADAMS, died June 23, 1816.
Va. Herald (Fredericksburg), June 29, 1816.

MARGARET ADAMS...dau. of JOHN ADAMS of Richmond, married CHARLES PICKETT, March 30th 1819.
Daily Compiler (Richmond) April 1, 1819.

MARY G. ADAMS...dau. of DR. JOHN ADAMS (Mayor), married to JOHN MINGE of Charles City County on March 9, 1820.
Virginia Patriot (Richmond), March 17, 1820

MARY HUSTON ADAMS.....(Mrs.), married Major FERDINAND PHINIZY of Augusta,Ga., on Oct. 1, 1814. She was dau. of JOHN HYDE SAUNDERS.
Daily Compiler (Richmond) October 5, 1814.

NATHANIEL G. ADAMS..died at Haverhill, Mass. June 24, 1820. Aged 24.
Daily Compiler (Richmond) July 11, 1820.
Virginia Patriot (Richmond) July 11, 1820.

PATRICK ADAMS...."we also heard that Dr.PATRICK ADAMS of Surry Co. died a short time ago." (no dates given.)
Virginia Gazette (Williamsburg) Dec.1, 1768

POLLY ADAMS...married DANIEL BARRY, Oct. 16, 1793.
Columbian Mirror (Alexandria) Oct. 19, 1793.

PHOEBE ADAMS...aged 72, married REV. HIPKINS PITTMAN, 69, in King & Queen Co., on May 18, 1819.
Virginia Herald (Fredericksburg) June 9,1819
[Anothers news item gave the date as May 13 1819 and his age as 74. Her mother was given

as MRS. JAMES BATES.]
Enquirer (Richmond) June 8, 1819.

RICHARD ADAMS....(Colonel) died of advanced age on August 1, 1800.
Virginia Argus, (Richmond), August 5, 1800.

RICHARD ADAMS....(Colonel) died on Richmond Hill at age 57 on Jan. 9, 1817.
Daily Compiler (Richmond) Jan. 10, 1817.
Virginia Patriot (Richmond) Jan. 10, 1817.

ROBERT C. ADAMS.....A duel was fought, Aug. 9, 1820, resulting in death for MR. ADAMS & JAMES B. BOISSEAU.
Daily Compiler (Richmond) August 12, 1820.
CENTRAL GAZETTE(Charlottesville)Aug.18,1820.
Norfolk Herald, August 14, 1820.
American Beacon (Norfolk) August 12, 1820.

SALLY ADAMS..died. Spouse of THOMAS B. ADAMS, Esq. (No dates given)
Va. Gazette & General Advertiser (Richmond) May 21, 1794.

SAMUEL ADAMS..of Tenn. died Manchester, Va., at home of JAMES WILLETT, on Aug. 27, 1815. He was 21 years of age.
Enquirer (Richmond) August 30, 1815.

SARAH ADAMS...consort of COL. RICHARD ADAMS, died June 8, 1815.
Virginia Patriot (Richmond) June 17, 1815.
Enquirer (Richmond) June 10, 1815.

SOLOMON ADAMS...married to MISS MARY TEASLEY April 18, 1816.
Va. Herald, (Fredericksburg), April 20, 1816

THOMAS ADAMS...Former resident of Winchester died near Staunton in Augusta, July 26, 1788
Virginia Centinel (Winchester), Aug. 8, 1788

THOMAS B. ADAMS....married MISS L. MARYE in Loudon Co. on Oct. 20, 1818.
Virginia Herald (Fredericksburg) Oct.28,1818

THOMAS BOWLER ADAMS....died Nov. 28, 1794 at COL. RICHARD ADAM'S in this city.
Va. Gazette & General Advertiser (Richmond), December 3, 1794.

WILLIAM ADAMS....died June 2, 1787, about 23 years old, third son of COL. RICHARD ADAMS.
Virginia Independent Chronicle (Richmond), June 13, 1787.
Va. Gazette & Weekly Advertiser, June 7,1787

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We have received several inquiries from subscribers desiring help from professionals in strategic Adams areas. If you can perform record searching in a courthouse, library, archives or historical society please submit your name and address.

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Where There's a Will...

VIRGINIA, CHARLOTTE COUNTY, WILL BOOK II, PAGE 53.
Shared by Mrs. Ethel Hoskins, St. Louis, Mo.

I, JAMES ADAMS of the County of Charlotte at present indisposed, but of sound and perfect mind, and disposing memory, do make and ordain my last will and testament in manner and form following. 1st In order that there may be no misconstruction or misunderstanding of my true meaning and intensions. I have taken a view of former donations to some of my children and declare that I have here to fore advanced those here in mentioned the following sum of money or the value in property. I have advanced my daughter, formerly wife of EBENEZER VERNON the sum of seventeen pounds. My son JAMES the sum of thirtythree pounds. My son DAVID the sum of thirty five pounds, my daughter PEGGY, wife of MICHAEL RANDAL, twenty pounds, my daughter SALLY, wife of GEORGE LAWSON, twenty pounds, my son WILLIAM fifteen pounds, my daughter ANNA the sum of seven pounds, fiften shillings. 2nd I give and desire my dear wife LEANNA the use of the Following estate real and personal during her natural life. The whole of my land in the county of Charlotte where on I now live, with all houses and improvements except three specific divisions of land here after mentioned. So that she take for life the whole remainder of my land I also give and divide to my wife during life the following negroe slaves to wit JAMES, CLARY, NANCY, IVORY and CYE or HARRY, which ever of those two last she may choose, and further I direct that my Executors cause to be purchased with money on hand a negro girl, such a one that my wife may like and that the slave so purchased be added to those before given to my wife with the same consideration. I also give to my wife the use during her life the use of so much of my live stock, household and kitchen furniture and utensils, plantation tools and other conveniences, she may think herself in need of. Also my still and implements there to belonging for the same term. But from the estate given to my wife as afore said, she is charged with the exclusive support and education of my son JOHN, in addition to his division. Let her take stock and crops this year. 3rd. I give to my daughter ANNA the sum of twenty pounds in addition to the advance made her. 4th. I give and bequeath to my son JAMES ADAMS and his heirs, thirty acres of land along his line -- joining me. 5th. I give and bequeath to my sons, DAVID and WILLIAM each thirty acres of land at the south end of my tract to them respectively and their heirs -- lying from MORGAN to PAYEARS land. 6th. I give and bequeath to my daughter POLLY, wife of THOMAS A STEVENSON, a negro girl named JUDY, also a walnut chest horse, saddle and bridle, a feather bed and furniture and a cow and calf already delivered. 7th. I give to my daughter ELIZABETH, wife of JAMES BROWN, a negro girl named ROSE also a walnut chest, horse, saddle and bridle, bed and furniture and a cow and calf. 8th I bequeath to my son JOHN and his heirs reversion of land divised to his mother for life and my still and his possession to commence at the death of his mother. I also, give to my son JOHN a negro boy named BOB, a walnut chest, a horse, saddle and bridle, a bed and furniture and a cow and calf. In cause of the death of my son JOHN under the age of twenty one years and before marriage, his personal interest under the will shall go to his sisters, STEVENSON and BROWN or their survivors of theirs, and in case of the death of the slave BOB before my son JOHN comes of age or marries the difficiency is to be supplied from my other slaves. 10th As to the remainder of my estate, I order

and direct that the whole be sold at the discretion of my Executors and the proceeds be equally divided amongst all my children, except my daughter ANNA. The children of my daughter VERNON to represent their mother and to take one share. 11th. In case of the death of my son JOHN under age and not married, the reversion in land, divided to my wife, shall also be sold and the proceeds divided as is directed in remaining personal estates and titles to be made by executors or such of them as may act, each son and daughter, however to account for former donation as first stated. 12th. I do hereby nominate and appoint my wife Executor and my friends WILLIAM MORTON and JOEL WATKINS Executors of this will declaring it to be my last.

In testimony where of I have here to set my hand and affix my seal the twentieth day of June, in the year of Christ, one thousand eight hundred and three.

JAMES ADAMS..

P.CARRINGTON, JOSEPH REYNOLDS, HOEL SULLIVANT and OLIVER JOHNSON - witnesses.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF JAMES ADAMS, presented to Charlotte County Court the 3rd day of October 1803.

LIST OF REAL ESTATE OWNERS IN ELKHART COUNTY INDIANA IN 1859. (Reprinted from Michiana Searcher, Volume II, Number 4)

Jefferson Twp.

CHARLES ADAMS
DANIEL ADAMS
ELIJAH ADAMS
JAMES ADAMS
JESSE ADAMS

*ISAIAH VANSICLE appeared same county but York Twp (This special reference for those interested in ADAMS-VANSICKLE family.)

PENNSYLVANIA

RECORDS OF CHRIST CHURCH, PHILADELPHIA, PA., BURIALS 1709 - 1780

ADAMS	DATE
Job	Apr. 26, 1736
John, son of Robert	Apr. 12, 1739
Child..of Margaret	Apr. 12, 1739
John, son of Robert	Jan. 13, 1745
Robert	July 2, 1745
Anna, wife of William	Feb. 14, 1748
Elizabeth	Oct. 27, 1750
Hannah, dau. of George	Aug. 12, 1753
---, son of Robert	Aug. 16, 1755
George, son of George	July 27, 1757
---, dau. of George	Sep. 1, 1757
---, wife of William	Oct. 14, 1757
William	Mar. 18, 1759
Anna (?), dau. of Giles	Apr. 5, 1759
Ra---, dau. of William	July 29, 1759
Charles, son of William	Sep. 23, 1759
Charles, son of Alexander	Sep. 23, 1759
Salome, dau. of ---	Oct. 17, 1759
Mary, dau. of Alexander	Oct. 24, 1759
Anthony, son of Capt. --	Jan. 6, 1761

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WORRIED?

In 1929 James Taylor Adams Received a letter from Springfield, N.C., which ended thus---- For several years I tried to trace my ancestry but since the evolution theory got started I quit..... Reel 5, Box 101

JOHN ADAMS OF MOUNTAIN CITY

By JAMES TAYLOR ADAMS

THE father of John Adams is said to have been one of two brothers, Irish schoolmasters, who emigrated to America about the middle of the eighteenth century and settled in North Carolina; of their later lives and movements, nothing is known.

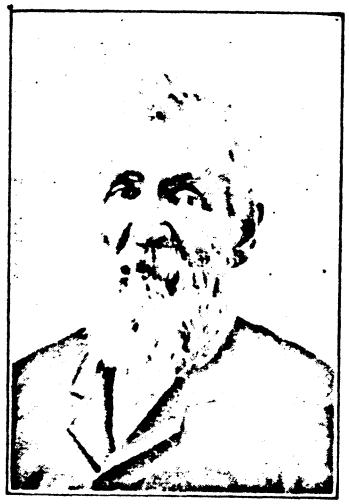
John Adams was born about 1770. His early life was spent on Yadkin River in Surry County, North Carolina, where he was married, about 1798, to Rhoda Johnson; to this union there was born thirteen children. He removed, about 1827, to Johnson County, Tennessee and settled near Taylorsville (now Mountain City) where the remainder of his life was spent. Rhoda, his first wife, died about 1835, and he married, about 1840, Ruth Robinson, by whom he had one son. He died in 1855, and is buried beside his first wife, Rhoda, at Mountain City, Tennessee.

Second Generation

1. Children of John and Rhoda (Johnson) Adams; residence Mountain City, Tennessee.

2. (1) Thomas, born in Surry County, North Carolina, about 1800; died in Indiana about 1875. He married _____. He was a preacher; a blacksmith and wagon-maker.
3. (2) Francis, married _____ Kilby.
4. (3) Rhoda, married _____ Wilson.
5. (4) James, went to California and has been lost sight of.
6. (5) Allen Ambros, born on Yadkin River, in North Carolina, November, 1814. Was twice married, first, at Jefferson, Ashe County, North Carolina, to Ann McGuire of Ashe County; second at Elk Creek, Grayson County, Virginia, to Caroline Jenkins of Grayson County. Ann McGuire Adams died at Elk Creek in Grayson County, Virginia, about the year 1886, and is buried at Elk Creek. Caroline Jenkins Adams died in 1920 at Cedar Bluff, Virginia, and is buried there.
   Allen Ambros Adams and Ann McGuire were married 1836.
   Allen Ambros Adams and Caroline Jenkins were married 1889.
7. (6) Wesley; moved west and has been lost sight of.

8. (7) Benjamin Lee, born in Wilkes County, North Carolina, October 9, 1817; died at Mountain City, Tennessee, and is buried in the Phillips Cemetery near Mountain City. He was married 1841, to Rhoda Goodwin of Butler, Tennessee, who was a daughter of a prosperous Watauga River farmer, a slave owner and a patriot of the War of 1812. His opportunities for obtaining an education were not all that could have been desired, however, he made the best use of them and was a well informed man for his day. He was a very devout student of the Bible and was an official member of the Methodist Episcopal Church South for more than fifty years. He was a useful and respected citizen in the community in which he lived.
   He owned a fine farm of more than one hundred acres, two miles west of Mountain City, a large portion of which is still owned by his sons, Smith Campbell and John. His friends said of his family and of himself, that no moral stain had ever rested on any of them.
   He was very fond of his daughter, Martha Adams Blevins, who was the only one of his daughters that lived to reach womanhood.



Joseph Ashley Adams

9. (8) Joseph Ashley, a twin brother of Benjamin Lee (8), he was born in Wilkes County, North Carolina, October 9, 1817.
10. (9) Emily, married _____ Stone.
11. (10) Abraham E.
12. (11) William, died at Roanoke, Virginia.
13. (12) Nancy, married _____ Mink.
14. (13) Mary, married _____ Fenner.

Third Generation

2. Children of Thomas (2)—John (1) and _____ (_____) Adams; residence _____ Indiana.

15. (1) A son, name not known.
16. (2) A son, name not known. With his brother (15) he went to Missouri, where they were both killed. If either left any children, nothing is known of them.
17. (3) A daughter, name not known, she probably died young.
18. (4) George Washington, born at Taylorsville (now Mountain City) Tennessee, September 11, 1843; died at Bristol, Virginia, July

23, 1910, and is buried in the burying ground, three miles north of Bristol. He married, in Morgan County, Indiana, in 1870, Nancy Ann Abernathy. She was born in North Carolina; died at Columbus, Indiana, in 1894. He was married the second time, in 1895 or 1896, to Cora Lee Bursom, at Johnson City, Tennessee.

4. Child of Rhoda (2)—John (1) Adams and _____ Wilson; residence unknown.

19. (1) John G., lives at Butler, Tennessee.

6. Children of Allen Ambros (2)—John (1) and Ann (McGuire) Adams; residence Elk Creek, Virginia.

20. (1) James, married Nancy Reedy. They moved from Wilson, Grayson County, Virginia, to Big Hill, Madison County, Kentucky in 1870. He and his first wife separated and he married a second time, Annie _____. She lives at Deer Park, Cincinnati, Ohio.
21. (2) John Quincy, born at Marion, Virginia, June 27, 1865; married, April 16, 1890 Belle Lindwood. Married the second time, November 21, 1910, Lucy LeSevern of Elizabethton, Tennessee. His first marriage was at Bluff City, Tennessee. On leaving school he started life as a clerk in the general store of J. M. Hodges, Bluff City, Tennessee, which position he held for twelve years. On his resignation of the clerkship, he entered the employe of the Southern Railway Company at Bristol, Tennessee, later being transfered to Elizabethton where he has since resided. In 1920 failing health forced him to retire from active work.
22. (3) Cornelia, married Duncan Noe.
23. (4) Nora, married O. F. Cunningham; lives at Blountville, Tennessee.
24. (5) Ellen, married Mitchell Bonner; resides at Elk Creek, Grayson County, Virginia.
25. (6) Mary, married John S. Sutherland; resides at Elk Creek, Virginia.

8. Children of Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) and Rhoda (Goodwin) Adams; residence Mountain City, Tennessee.

26. (1) Valarie Ann, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, October 8, 1842; died August 27, 1856, at Mountain City and is buried there.
27. (2) Joseph H., born 1844 or 1845; died in infancy.
28. (3) Cornelia, born about 1847; died young.
29. (4) Martha Ellen, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, February 22, 1849; died July 4, 1915. Married about 1873, Thomas A. Blevins.
30. (5) Smith Campbell, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, February

Eliza J. (Luttrell) Adams

22, 1851; married February 10, 1875, Eliza J. Luttrell, daughter of Captain Richard H. Luttrell and a lineal descendant of the distinguished Lee and Randolph families of Virginia. Like his father, he made the best possible use of such educational advantages as the community in which he grew up afforded. He is a man of remarkable memory and is still as much interested as ever in adding to his store of information. He will read nothing but the best literature and spends much time in studying the scriptures. For many years he was teacher of the Men's Bible Class in the Methodist Sunday School of Mountain City and is still superintendent of same at seventy-five years of age. In his early married life he taught in the public schools of Johnson County, Tennessee, but soon forsook this calling to follow his natural bent, mechanics. For many years he was a contractor and builder and for a time owned and operated a wagon factory.

31. (6) John, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, June 28, 1853; married, at Pandora, Tennessee, June 27, 1878, Emma V. Northington of Pandora. In his young days his father's home was also the home of the itinerant Methodist preacher, thus his training in this Christian home early impressed him religiously, and he grew up to be an active church worker and is still a factor in church work and in moral training. In his early days, at school he developed a great love for literature and this caused him to select school teaching for his avocation. For forty-five years he has taught in the schools of Tennessee and North Carolina and now at seventy-three he is still teaching. He numbers his students by the thousands and some of his former pupils are famous teachers and preachers. Among them is Dr. E. C. Wilson, President of the Theological Seminary of Blacksburg, Virginia; Dr. Cary Hagerman of Texas, and the Reverend R. B. Shown, of Washington, District of Columbia. He has never aspired to any greater calling and has frequently remarked that when his call to death shall come that he may be found in the school room, teaching boys and girls to walk in the paths of the lowly Nazarene. His children are all married and are scattered from near the Atlantic Ocean, in Virginia, to the Pacific coast

in Washington. All are at occupations or professions of their own choosing and all are happy and prosperous in pleasant homes and each one of them is an active church worker in the community in which they live.

32. (7) Thomas Barry, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, September 4, 1856; died December 23, 1857; buried at Mountain City.

33. (8) James Keys, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, September 12, 1860; died at Milligan, Tennessee, February 20, 1879. He was a student at Milligan College and it is thought his death was the result of injuries received while taking exercise. He is buried at Mountain City, Tennessee.

34. (9) Robert Lee, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, June 9, 1863.

9. Children of Joseph Ashley (2)—John (1) and ------ (------) Adams; residence Mountain City, Tennessee.

36. (1) Charles, lives in Oregon.
37. (2) Alice, married C. H. Brumitt; lives in Elizabethton, Tennessee.
38. (3) James, unmarried.
39. (4) Mollie, married ------ Alberton; and lives in Elizabethton, Tennessee.
40. (5) Sallie, married ---- Sammons; lives in Johnson City, Tennessee.
41. (6) Emma, married ------ Blevins; lives in Crandull, Tennessee.

11. Child of Abraham E. (2)—John (1) and ------ (------) Adams; residence unknown.

42. (1) Charles D., lives at Kingsport, Tennessee.

12. Children of William (2)—John (1) and ------ (------) Adams; residence Roanoke, Virginia.

43. (1) Claude, resides in Roanoke, Virginia.
44. (2) Hezekiah, lives in West Virginia.

14. Children of Mary (2)—John (1) Adams and ------ Fenner; residence unknown.

45. (1) Richard, lives in South Dakota.
46. (2) Hamilton, lives at Mountain City, Tennessee.

Fourth Generation

18. Children of George Washington (3)—Thomas (2)—John (1) and Nancy Ann (Abernathy) Adams; residence Morgan County, Indiana.

47. (1) Bertha Maude, born in Morgan County, Indiana, 1873; died in Morgan County, Indiana, 1896.

48. (2) George Burrow, born in Morgan County, Indiana, 1876; died in Morgan County, Indiana, 1883.

49. (3) Fletcher Guy, born at Nortonburg, Indiana, August 25, 1886; resides at Appalachia, Virginia.

18. Children of George Washington (3)—Thomas (2)—John (1) and Cora Lee (Bursom) Adams; residence Bristol, Virginia.

50. (4) Maggie Mae, born at Columbus, Indiana, June 29, 1896; lives near Abingdon, Virginia.

51. (5) Thomas Washington, born at Bristol, Virginia, July 12, 1900; lives at Andover, Virginia.

20. Child of James (3)—Allen Ambrose (2)—John (1) and Nancy (Reedy) Adams; residence Big Hill, Kentucky.

52. (1) Victoria, married a Roberson and was living at Big Hill, Madison County, Kentucky, when last heard from.

20. Children of James (3)—Allen Ambrose (2)—John (1) and Annie (------) Adams; residence Big Hill, Kentucky.

53. (2) John, was living in Ludlow, Kentucky, a few years ago.
54. (3) Harry
55. (4) Hattie
56. (5) Everett

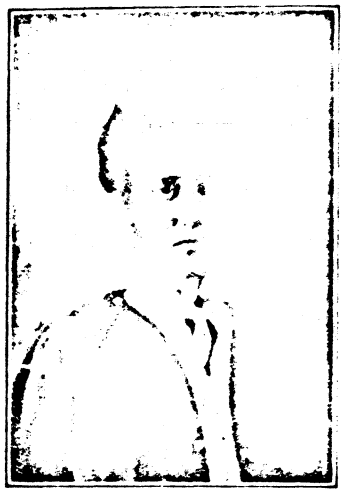
21. Children of John Quincy (3)—Allen Ambrose (2)—John (1) and Belle (Lindwood) Adams; residence Bluff City, Tennessee (now resides at Elizabethton, Tennessee).

57. (1) Eileen, born at Bluff City, Tennessee May 4, 1891; died July 21, 1891.
58. (2) Edith Lynn, born at Bristol, Tennessee, 1899.
59. (3) Kathleen, born at Bluff City, Tennessee May 4, 1901. Is a teacher in Milligan College, Milligan, Tennessee.

29. Children of Martha Ellen (3)—Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) Adams and Thomas A. Blevins; residence unknown.

60. (1) A child, died of diphtheria.
61. (2) A child, died of diphtheria.
62. (3) A child, died of diphtheria.
63. (4) A child, died of diphtheria.
64. (5) A child, died of diphtheria.
65. (6) Riley Vaughn, lives in Virginia.
66. (7) Oscar M., lives at Crandull, Tennessee.

30. Children of Smith Campbell (3)—Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) and Eliza J. (Luttrell) Adams; residence Mountain City, Tennessee.



Mary Adams Morrell

67. (1) Mary, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, December 27, 1875; married January 9, 1905, Joseph Powell Morrell of Elizabethton, Tennessee. Married by the Reverend W. E. Morrell.

68. (2) Samuel, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, September 24, 1877; died May 4, 1882; buried at Mountain City.

69. (3) James Henry Lee, born at Mountain City Tennessee, October 1, 1879; died April 29, 1882; buried at Mountain City.

70. (4) Robert Stanley, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, September 23, 1881; married, December 17, 1902, Lillie Jenkins of Mountain City. They reside at Daytona Beach, Florida.

71. (5) Martha Ellen, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, March 18, 1884; died at Eldridge, Missouri, November 10, 1919. She married December 4, 1910, J. C. Gentry of Taylors Valley, Tennessee. They were married by the Reverend _____ Burroughs of Bristol, Tennessee.

72. (6) Emma Virginia, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, June 5, 1886; married, November 16, 1910, Arthur E. Blevins, of Crandull, Tennessee. Married by the Reverend French Wampler. They are now living at Frankford, West Virginia.

73. (7) Clinton Victor, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, August 4, 1888; his present whereabouts is unknown; was last heard from in Denver, Colorado.

74. (8) Clyde, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, March 1, 1891; married July 4, 1914, Susan Robinson of Doe Valley, Tennessee. Married by the Reverend W. H. Johns. They are now living at Exeter, Virginia.

75. (9) Annie, born at Johnson City, Tennessee April 8, 1893; married, August 22, 1909 Fuson L. Nidiffer of Watauga Valley, Tennessee. They reside at Watauga Valley.

76. (10) Glenn, born at Mountain City, Tennessee July 26, 1895. He entered the army in early days of the World War; was trained at Camp Pike, near Little Rock, Arkansas. Went to France in 1918, and on the morning of the 9th of November was wounded in action, captured and taken into Germany and held as a prisoner of war for five days. Three days after the armistice was signed, he, with many others, was taken by men of

the First Division, to Base Hospital 46, Bazailles, for treatment. After he was discharged from this hospital he served several months in the army of occupation. He received his honorable discharge in 1919. His war record as signed by President Woodrow Wilson was "Glenn Adams, Pvt. Co. E., 110th Infantry 28th Division, served with honor in the World War and was wounded in action." After he was examined for overseas service, the Board of Examiners stated that he was the strongest, most nearly perfect physical specimen of young manhood that had been examined by them.

77. (11) Rhoda, born at Mountain City, Tennessee March 4, 1899. She is unmarried.

31. Children of John (3)—Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) and Emma V. (Northington) Adams; residence Mountain City, Tennessee.

78. (1) Walter R., born at Mountain City, Tennessee, July 23, 1879; married May 29, 1904, Nora Wilson; resides at Antelope, Oregon.

79. (2) Samuel B., born at Mountain City, Tennessee, July 5, 1881; married 1901, Mary Jenkins. They live at Kansas City, Kansas.

Samuel B. Adams

80. (3) Wynn C., born at Mountain City, Tennessee, March 20, 1884; married at Jellico, Tennessee, August 2, 1903, Ina Underwood of Knoxville, Tennessee. She was born February 9, 1886. They are now living at Appalachia, Virginia.

81. (4) Bruce M., born at Mountain City, Tennessee, September 29, 1886; married May 10, 1917, Mae Wills of Mountain City, Tennessee. They reside in Mountain City.

82. (5) Mattie Pearl, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, March 17, 1890; died at Oakland, California, February 23, 1924.

83. (6) Jesse, born at Mountain City, Tennessee April 12, 1893; married June 17, 1917, Eva Franzen of Mountain City. They now live at Tacoma, Washington.

84. (7) Hattie, born at Mountain City, Tennessee June 17, 1895; married May 17, 1915, R. B. Brown of Mountain City, Tennessee.

85. (8) John Edgar, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, June 4, 1897; married April 10, 1920, Lucy Wilson.

Fifth Generation

70. Children of Robert Stanley (4)—Smith Campbell (3) Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) and Lillie (Jenkins) Adams; residence Daytona Beach, Florida.

86. (1) Clarice Ruth, born August 20, 1904; married 1926, Verne Broadwater; lives at Bellington, West Virginia.
87. (2) Victor Kent, born December 20, 1906.
88. (3) Nellie Bryan, born March 15, 1909.
89. (4) Virginia Evelyn, born June 5, 1911.
90. (5) Robert Stanley, born May 13, 1915.
91. (6) Margaret Elizabeth, born September 14, 1918.
92. (7) James, born July 30, 1921.
93. (8) Benjamin, born January 14, 1925.

71. Children of Martha Ellen (4)—Smith Campbell (3) —Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) Adams and J. C. Gentry; residence Eldridge, Missouri.

94. (1) Conley Orville, born September 12, 1912.
95. (2) A son, born 1919; died and was buried in the same grave with its mother, November 13, 1919.

72. Children of Emma Virginia (4)—Smith Campbell (3) —Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) Adams and Arthur E. Blevins; residence Frankford, West Virginia.

96. (1) John C., born October 25, 1911.
97. (2) Gladys Ovella, born October 5, 1913.
98. (3) Joseph Kent, born May, 1918; died August 7, 1920.

74. Children of Clyde (4)—Smith Campbell (3)—Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) and Susan (Robinson) Adams; residence Exeter, Virginia.

99. (1) Gladys Nell, born April 23 ,1915.
100. (2) Anna Kate, born February 12, 1917.
101. (3) Ernest Clinton, born December 19, 1913.
102. (4) Grace Aline, born May 31, 1921.
103. (5) Alvin Guy, born December 21, 1925.

75. Children of Annie (4)—Smith Campbell (3)—Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) Adams and Fuson L. Nidiffer; residence Watauga Valley, Tennessee.

104. (1) Mary Glenn, born September 12, 1910.
105. (2) Joseph Paul, born July 16, 1912.
106. (3) Stanley Howard, born November 10, 1914.
107. (4) Naomi Helen, born June 10, 1918.
108. (5) Lloyd Gale, born May 13, 1921.
109. (6) Vilma Lois, born July 26, 1924.

78. Children of Walter R. (4)—John (3)—Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) and Nora (Wilson) Adams; residence Antelope, Oregon.

110. (1) Ruth, born about 1906.
111. (2) Walter Wayne, born about 1909.

79. Children of Samuel B. (4)—John (3)—Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) and Mary (Jenkins) Adams; residence Kansas City, Kansas.

112. (1) Mary Louise, born May 19, 1915.
113. (2) Hazel, born September 17, 1917.

80. Children of Wynn C. (4)—John (3)—Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) and Ina (Underwood) Adams; residence Appalachia, Virginia.

114. (1) Ofna May Virginia, born March 25, 1907; married, June 3, 1923, Loring Henry Myers. Lives at Appalachia, Virginia.
115. (2) John Henry Edgar, born August 26, 1908; died May 24, 1922.
116. (3) Jesse Benjamin Franklin, born December 10, 1909.
117. (4) C. Walter Wayne, born June 22, 1911.
118. (5) Charles William, born June 1, 1914.
119. (6) Bertha Marie, born December 20, 1915.
120. (7) Hazel Juanita, born December 7, 1917.
121. (8) Carl Raymon, born August 21, 1919.
122. (9) Francis Cleo, born June 11, 1921.
123. (10) Doris Fay, born April 11, 1923.

81. Children of Bruce M. (4)—John (3)—Benjamin Lee (2)—John (1) and Mae (Wills) Adams; residence Mountain City, Tennessee.

124. (1) Mary Ruth, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, April 13, 1918; died April 17, 1918; buried in the Phillips Cemetery at Mountain City, Tennessee.
125. (2) Lena Kate, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, April 8, 1919; died September 5, 1919; buried in the Phillips Cemetery at Mountain City, Tennessee.
126. (3) Walter G., born at Mountain City, Tennessee, May 30, 1920.
127. (4) Paul Hunter, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, September 1, 1921.
128. (5) Dorothy Irene, born at Mountain City, Tennessee, March 15, 1923.

84. Children of Hattie (4)—John (3)—Benjamin Lee (2) —John (1) Adams and R. B. Brown; residence Mountain City, Tennessee.

129. (1) Virginia Emma, born February 14, 1912.
130. (2) Evelyn
131. (3) Edwin Earl

ANQUESTORS

Readers have suggested names and addresses of querists be furnished. This, of course, me s much valuable information will bypass the Adams Addenda file. However, in our endeavour to please, we are now submitting the addresses. Will you continue to share with us? And with others? HAPPY HUNTING!
Why not submit, or re-submit, a free query?

JOHN J. ADAMS - need info on parentage and family. Marr. MARTHA GAMMEL. Liv. Bedford Co., Tn.,.Mov. to Coles Co.,Ill.,.ca 1830. Mrs. R. E. Stewart, 1310 W. Springfield, Champaign, Ill.,.61820.

Seek parentage of SARAH ADAMS (1798-1879) of Lincoln, Sunbury Co., N.B., Canada. Married STEPHEN KINNEY (1795-1881), 3 Nov. 1819, at Burton, Sunbury Co.,. N. B. Can. Possible sibling: THOMAS ADAMS mar. CLARISSA CORLISS 25 July 1825, DAVID ADAMS m. REUAMMAH HOWLING 13 Mar. 1828, FRANCIS MATILDA ADAMS m. GEORGE THOMAS, 2 July 1825. Mrs. Myles A. Walsh, 143 No. Main St.,Cranbury, N.J. 08512

Does any reader have a copy of the MARY E. TRAVIS - TRAVIS MATERIAL? Would you please send information on MARGARET ADAMS lineage? (Or send copy to Adams Addenda). Mrs. Mervyn Fish, 1319 Vigo St.,. Vincennes, Ind. 47591

JESSE ADAMS m. RHODA MARTIN & liv. in Marion Co., Ark., around Leslie. Also need info on WILLIAM MARTIN ADAMS. Beth Herrington, 456 S. College, Tahlequah, Oklahoma 74464

ELIZABETH ----, married #1. WILLIAM HICKOCKS (1608-1645), married #2. WILLIAM ADAMS who came to Hartford, Conn.,. 1648, removed to Farmington and died 18 July 1655. Children of #1...SAMUEL HICKOCKS, 1643 - 1695, JOSEPH HICKOCKS, 1645-1687. Children of #2..BENJAMIN & ELIZABETH ADAMS. Both parents died ca 1655 leaving orphaned children. The Court appointed Mr. StEELE & THOMAS JUDD of Farmington, Conn.,. to preserve the estate and place 'ye children as well as they can', and make return 'to ye court in may next.' What happened to BENJAMIN and ELIZABETH ADAMS???? Mrs. Charles Harmon, Rt.1,Box 140, Sarasota Florida. 33577.

Will BHL-162 (in last issue) please get in touch with me? Have info on ISAAC WISEMAN DENMAN ADAMS. Marietta Lord, Promise City, Iowa. 52583.

MARY ADAMS marr. JOSEPH HOLEMAN (1811-1891), in Shelby Co. Mo., 11 Feb. 1838. She was b. Md. 1817, d. 1892 Pottawattomi Co. Ia. Her fa. was b. Va.,. & mother b. Del. Who were her parents? Mrs. Clayton Lucas, 1248 Wa-Bash Ave., Carthage, Ill. 62321

My Great-grandfather, JOHN ADAMS, was b. in Wheeling (now W. Va.) so it is said in our family. But 1850 Miss. Cn. has his birthplace Ohio. As a young man (b. 1809) he traveled the river. When his barge broke up he went ashore in Miss. and stayed there. He marr. MARY ANN EDDLEMAN & liv. Choctaw Co., Miss. Known children: JOHN, MARY, MARTHA, LUTITIA, and others. JOHN of Va. or Ohio is said to have marr. SARAH MARSHALL. Mrs. Eugene Ward, 197 Overlook Dr., N.W., Gainesville, George 30501

JOHN ADDAMS died 1769 Halifax C., Va., Wife ELENOR. Ch: WILLIAM, JOHN, JOSHUA, MARY & ELIZABETH, MARTHA(DICKSON), NIPPER(d. 1820, Halifax Co. Va.) Who were parents of father & what became of JOSHUA who m. PHEOBE EASLEY? Mr. A.L. Lunsford, Brookneal, Va.

WILLIE G. ADAMS marr. AMERICA CRANK ca 1850. Who were parents of borth? Maybe marr. in Ky. (Knox Co.?) Will ans. all letters. Mr. Raymond D. Crank, 7247 Grace Ln., Salinas, Cal. 93901

MARY FRANCES ADAMS.....b. 18 June 1854, Ft. Worth, Tx., marr. WILLIAM FRANKLIN BROWNEN when & where Children b. Shackleford Co., Texas. Mov. to Johnston Co. Okla. Need her parents. Will corres. with all BROWNEN researchers. Mrs. Novelyn Merriam, 14606 Lake Rd.,Hickman, Ca. 95323, Ph:209-883-2090

ISHAM ADAMS, d. 8 Mar. 1862 in Battle of Pea Ridge, Ark., Tradition, he was shot for a spy. Marr. 2x. #2 wife, ----RUCKER, Children: DEE, MACK, JOHN ICEIN(?), FRANCIS MARION, JAMES & POLKA. JOHN ICEIN ADAMS marr . HATTIE SIZEMORE. FRANCIS (FRANK) MARION m. 1876 to SUSAN GREER. Mrs. Elma Rust, Rt. 1, Box 93, Blachly, Oregon 97412

Want proof that JONATHAN ADAMS & JOHN ADAMS (JONATHAN^3, JOHN^2, JEREMY^1, 1632, Cambridge, Mass.) are the New Jersey Loyalists listed as settling in Sunbury Co., New Brunswick, Canada in E.C.Wright's "The Loyalists of New Brunswick"? Mrs. Myles A. Walsh, 143 No. Main St.,. Cranbury, N. J. 08512

MARY TAYLOR (172-MAT) might like to write E. A. CLORE Sons, Madison, Va., 22727 or phone 703-948-5821. Info from Mrs. W. A.Wildhack of Arlington, Virginia.

ADAMS LOYALISTS settling in New Brunswick, Canada: Seek genealogy of the ADAMS recorded in petitions for land in Sunbury Co., N.-B., Canada, on file at Ganong Library,St. Johns, N.B. Museum, as follows" 1786, Petition #5A: JONATHAN ADAMS, JACOB LEGEE, WM. LEGEE, JOHN ADAMS, petition for land in Blk. 3. Petition #334, "Memorial of JONATHAN ADAMS, JOHN STURGIS and THOMAS ADAMS, loyalists, ask for 2000 acres on Rushagonis Stream. Mrs. Myles A. Walsh, 143 N. Main St Cranbury, New Jersey, 08512.

JACOB ADAMS was b. ca 1730, d. 1807 in Patrick Co., Va. His will was probated in Patrick Co. Court, Nov. 1807. He included his wife Mary & children: JACOB, PETER, MARY (m. CHRIST. COOPER & RICHARD HANCOCK), BARBARA LYDDA (m. DR. SAM TITTLE), SUSAN ELIZABETH (m. ZACHARIAH KEATON), REBECCA (m.JAMES HOLLANDSWORTH), SARAH (m. CORNELIUS KEATON) WILLIAM and ISAAC. Would like to know name of wife of the younger JACOB. They reared two children of SARAH ADAMS KEATON. Most of this family moved to Tenn. ca 1809. Mrs.G. O. Kiger, 4027 Sunbeam Ave.,. Chattanooga, Tenn. 37411

NANCY ADAMS RAMEY was b. Nov. 1, 1796, Clark Co.,Ky. Her parents were STEPHEN9L766-1834) and ELIZABETH ? ADAMS. Other children were JAMES (Mar. POLLY BROOKS), ROBERT (m. SARAH MORTON), NATHANIEL (M. PATSEY DOOLEY),REUBEN (m. MARY HAMILTON), WILLIAM (m. SALLEY ?) & POLLY (m. LEROY HAMILTON). Would Like to exchange. Mrs. Richard A. Schwabauer, 1100 S.E. Waverley Dr., Portland, Oregon 97222

ROLLIN (ROWLIN) ADAMS, 1775-1857, m. CATHERINE TOWSLEY (1785-1862), both buried Steuben Co., N.Y. Liv. Chanango Co. N.Y. Need parentage. Mrs. Albert Phillips, 13 Pellett St Norwich, New York 13815

My ancestress ELIZABETH ADAMS m. #1, CHARLES WORD, #2. RICHARD B. HOOPER. She is said to have been b. 11 May 1753 in Surry Co., N. C. & dau. of JOHN ADAMS. Would like to find if relation to Presidents. Mrs. C. Morava,2129 Churchill Dr.,. Anchorage, Alaska 99503

I am searching for the father of BENJAMIN ADAMS b. Sept. 2, 1767. Marr. #1 ?, (1765-1815), #2 marr. MARY COLEMAN. He d. Jan. 16 1826. First family: NANCY (b.1785 m. WILLIAM MARTIN), REBECCAH b.1788), JESSE S.(1790) WILLIAM(1793), JOHN D.(1794), MARGARET(1798) LUCINDA UTIAL(1800), BENJAMIN(1803). Second family: W.JAMES, HEZEKIAH, GIDEON, NATHANIEL and QUINCEY, GEORGE WASHINGTON. After death of BENJ. ADAMS, Mary marr. a NORRELL & moved west with younger ADAMSES. All above family liv. in Abbeville, S.C. where BENJ. is bur. Mrs. Roy V. Phillips, P.O. Box 9, Crystal Springs, Miss. 39059

Information wanted on wife of STEPHEN ADAMS, son of ZACHARIAH ADAMS. STEPHEN born 1774, Kingston Parish(Matthews & Gloucester Co.Va) d. in 1810. Children were: NANCY(what became of her?), ELIZABETH (mar. EDWARD THOMAS in 1822), LOUISA(b. 1805, m. CYRIL FOSTER), Mrs. William M. Nelson, 214 Grand Ave., Yazoo City, Mississippi 39194

JOHN ADAMS, b. 27 Sept. 1791 in N. C., d. in 1873 in Macon Co. Tenn. Would like his parentage & sis & bros. Miss Johnnie Rethmeyer 7344 Bruno Ave., Richmond Heights, Mo. 63117

JEPTHA J. ADAMS, SR., b. Dec. 7, 1801, marr. #1 NANCY LOWELL Oct. 18, 1825. Liv. in Fayette Co., Ky. Will exch. with desc. Mrs. Andrew Stirrat, 935 Lincoln St., Hollywood, Florida 33020

JOHN B. ADAMS was born in Renesselear Co., New York on 16 June 1815. Need parentage & sibling. Will exchange. Elmer M. Adams 15735 N.E. Broadway, Portland, Ore., 97230

DANIEL H. ADAMS, born 1799 in Rhode Island. As a boy moved to Vermont where he mar.IRENA BISHOP in 1819. They moved to St. Lawrence Co., N.Y. where they are buried. His parentage needed. Thomas M. Adams, 8222-6th St., Downey, California 90241

ANSWER...141 SNF (last issue)...PATRICK HENRY ADAMS was b. in Izard Co., Ark., in 1830. He was son of JOHN & MARY WOLF ADAMS. JOHN was b. 1796 in Ky. & may be son of JOHN-1776 whose sibling were: JAMES, MATTHEW, SARAH, ELVINA, RACHEL, NANCY, MARY, ELIZABETH and HANNAH. JOHN (1796) mov. from Hopkins Co., Ky. to Izard Co. Ark. ca 1820.and mar. MARY WOLF SETTLES wid. of JOSIAH SETTLES. Beside PATRICK HENRY ADAMS they had: ALEXANDER HAMILTON, ROBERT, JACOB, WYTHE and ERVIN. You may get further info from: Walter M. Adams, 3609 Lakeshore Dr., N. Little Rock, Ark.,. 72116. Happy hunting to you both!

JAMES ADAMS liv. in Christian Co., Ky., from 1804 to 1812, Hopkins Co. Ky., 1812 to 1835, Marion Co., Ark., 1835 to 1855. He died in 1855 in Fulton Co., Ark.,. Where was he b.? Who were his parents? Walter M. Adams, 3609 Lakeshore Dr., N. Little Rock, Ark.,. 72116

Seeking parents of MARTHA HOLLIDAY ADAMS, b. ca 1826 in Nashville, Tenn.,. d. 1900, bur. Allen Co. Ky. in 1903. Had a sister, LULA who m. a CARNEY in Hartwell, Tn. Will exch. Mrs. . R. Briley, Rte. 2, Grass Lake Ranch, Gilmer, Texas 75644

Interested in JOHN CHAMBERS ADAMS, b. Pa. in 1777, marr. MARTHA WALBURN (d. Urbana, Ohio, 1834). Lived Greenbrier Co., W.Va.,. Mason Co., Ky., & Springfield, Ohio. Died in 1862 Dallas Co., Iowa. Herman W. Walborn, 1051 Apple Rd., Route 1, Saint Paris, Ohio 43072

CAPT. JOHN ADAMS (16__-1704) from Mass. to Long Island and thence to N.J. m. ELIZABETH -?-, Their dau. SUSANNAH ADAMS (1674-17-) m. EDWARD BUZBY(d.1726), Who was ELIZABETH? JOHN was son of JOHN (15__-1633) who came to Plymouth Mass. 1621 & was m. to ELLA NEWTON & KELEMN WINSLOW. [Answers to this query should be sent to Adams Addenda, File 178.[

Would like to corres. with desc. of FRANCIS ADAMS who came from Kent, England in 1636 & settled in Charles County, Maryland. Dr. Mary L. Adams, 7227 Maryland Ave.,. St. Louis, Missouri 63130.

FEATHERGALE ADAMS, b. 1755 Va., d. 1807 Garrard Co., Ky.,. Mar. ELIZABETH ----. Their dau. NANCY (1775-1821) m. JOHN HUTCHERSON. I would like to hear from other desc. Mrs. Leon E. Campbell, 3369 Lockmoor Ln., Dallas, Texas 75220.

WALTER ADAMS mar. VIOLET MARTIN. His grandfather, SAMUEL L. ADAMS was b. in Tipton, Straffordshire England, 1833. This lineage has been traced back to JOHN ADAMS, b. 1520 in Mucklestone, Straffordshire. Would like to hear from other desc. of this line. Mr. Harlen M. Adams, 797 Filbert Ave., Chico, California 95926

MARY ADAMS (1805-1894) m. WILLIAM APPLEGATE 2 Sep. 1823, in Bullitt Co., Ky.,. Dau. of BENJAMIN ADAMS. Who was he? John L. Cook, 14335 River Forest, Houston, Texas 77024

ANDREW N. ADAMS, b. 1830 in Fair Haven, Vt., m. Aug. 1855 to STELLA MILLER dau. of Capt. WILLIAM MILLER and sis to "PROPHET" WILLIAM MILLER. ANDREW was son of JOSEPH ADAMS b. in Derry, N. H., 1802. D. 1878 FairHaven, Vt. Particularly desire to corres. with any MILLER desc. Mrs. Fred I. Stiles, Brookside, Ft. Ann, New York 12827.

Need par. of THOMAS D. ADAMS m. CRESIA (WARRICK?). Liv. Pendleton Co., Ky., Children: WM. ESAU (b. 1861, m. LUCY JANE SIMS & ROSIE SPALDING), THOMAS D. (m. MOLLY BURRIS). The children of THOMAS D. & MOLLY were: GUSTIN, MARION, JOAN(TROWBRIDGE), LETTIE, MARY(JOHN WALLACE). Mrs. E. M. Chestnut,2001 Winston Drive, Muncie, Indiana 47304

NANCY ADAMS mar. ROBERT C. FRISBY in Warren Co. Tenn. & both d. in Taney Co., Mo. ca 1870. Their children: HARRIET (ELLIS), ELIZABETH (WHEELER), CAROLINE (MOORE), & ISAAC, JACKSON, JOSIAH, JAMES & WM. Who were her parents? Mrs. Leonard Lynch, Route 3, Gainesville, Texas

Would like to corres. with persons interested in AARON ADAMS who had a dau. ANN (m. WM. P. REED). AARON appears in censuses: 1790 Worcester Co., Ms.,; 1800-Pendleton Co., Ky. 1810-Bourbon Co.,Ky.; 1820-Grant Co.,Ky.;1830-Bath Co.,Ky.; 1850-Grant Co.,Ky. Were these the same man? He died 1857 in Clark Co., Mo. Mrs. Jay H. Ross, 3719 Meadow Ave. North, Renton, Wash. 98055.

SUSIE PARTRIDGE ADAMS mar. DUDLEY W. DELASHMUTT, 1889, in Pacific Junction, Iowa. She was a dau. of THOMAS STOREY ADAMS and AGNESS B. PARTRIDGE. THOS. STOREY ADAMS was b. ca 1840 in the east. Need his parentage & mar. place. Mrs. R. A. Satterfield, 1954 Manning Ave., Los Angeles, Ca. 90025

MARRIAGES

----------	GREGG Elizabeth W.	Halifax Co. Va.	
----------	FORTUNE Anjalm	Washingtom Co. Mo.	1 Mar 1876
Absalom	SUMPTER Sarah	Henry Co. Va.	24 Jul 1783
Amanda J.	LANG Benton T.	Morgan Co. Ind.	15 Feb 1864
Amey	OAKES Edward	Halifax Co. Va.	23 Dec 1823
Amy	FERGUSON John	Morgan Co. Ind.	3 Jan 1867
Amy	EVANS Alfred E.	Morgan Co. Ind.	24 Jan 1885
Andrew H.	ROBB Ruth	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	12 Mar 1878
Andrew J. (from Ill.)	GODWIN Elizabeth	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	21 Jul 1853
Ann	ALLISON William	Morgan Co. Ind.	25 Nov 1858
Ann S.	SAMPSON Dennis	Halifax Co. Va.	7 Jun 1838
Anne	FRANCIS William	Halifax Co. Va.	27 Dec 1795
Annia	KILTON William	Story Co. Iowa	1874
Arte (Miss)	MOORE Ellis R.	Iron Co. Mo.	24 Jan 1875
Belle (48 years)	LEONARD Geo. W. B.	Story Co. Iowa	15 Sep 1875
Benjamin	CARDWELL Sarah	Bartholomew Co. Ind.	4 Feb 1841
Benjamin (from Ill.)	ANDERSON Sarah A.	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	11 Mar 1848
Benjamin H.	CASEBOLT Martha E.	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	16 May 1869
Betsey	PROSIZE Thomas	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	26 Nov 1792
Catherine (alias Brown,	alias Hayden...see "John Q")		
	RAMSEY Andrew	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	18 Oct 1841
Catharine	PEARCE Thomas	Morgan Co. Ind.	21 Feb 1864
Catharine	KELSO Jimison	Morgan Co. Ind.	11 Aug 1870
Christina	LEACH Francis M.	Morgan Co. Ind.	24 May 1860
Cornelius	O'DONNEL Marietta	Morgan Co. Ind.	15 Apr 1880
Daniel S.	MAXWELL Harriet S.	Washington Co. Mo.	7 Nov 1868
David	HOWLING Reummah	Sunbury Co. N.B., Canada	13 Mar 1828
David	MASON Sarah Caroline	Washington Co. Mo.	7 Dec 1856
David	LAKE Elizabeth	Morgan Co. Ind.	11 Sep 1856

E.	BARTLETT William	Halifax Co. Va.	9 Jan 1817
Eda	HENSON Henry R.	Iron Co. Mo.	24 Feb 1879
Eda C.	BAKER William H.	Iron Co. Mo.	27 Apr 1876
Edward	TAYLOR Betsey	Henry Co. Va.	22 Jan 1789
Edward L.	WALLACE Emaline	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	27 Jul 1862
Elam	BONNEY Margaret E.	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	15 Oct 1874
Eli	BERRY Betsey Caroline	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	25 Sep 1845
Elijah	MANEAS Elizabeth	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	15 Apr 1785
Eliza A.	WHITZELL James W.	Morgan Co. Ind.	25 May 1874
Elizabeth	LINDSAY William	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	1793
Elizabeth	KEATON Zachariah	Henry Co. Va.	1 Jan 1784
Elizabeth	LAKE William	Morgan Co. Ind.	18 Dec 1856
Elizabeth	FESLER George	Morgan Co. Ind.	9 May 1859
Elizabeth	AIKEN John	Bartholomew Co. Ind.	9 Jan 1840
Elizabeth	VORIS William R.	"	26 May 1831
Elizabeth	BENNETT John A.	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	19 Sep 1850
Ellenor	LETCHWORTH Benjamin	Henry Co. Va.	26 Oct 1792
Emeline M.	STAFFORD Francis M.	Morgan Co. Ind.	13 Jun 1858
Ephraim	FELKINS Mary E.	Morgan Co. Ind.	30 Sep 1878
Fanny (Mrs.)	BAKER John	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	19 Nov 1837
Finly	COLE Martha	Iron Co. Mo.	29 Dec 1861
Francis Matilda	THOMAS George	Sunbury Co. N.B. Canada	2 Jul 1825
George	WILSON Isabell	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	21 Nov 1780
George	FERGUSON Lizzie	Butler Co. Mo.	24 Feb 1886
George A.	CAMPBELL Emma	Morgan Co. Ind.	3 Sep 1878
George H.	BATTERTON Fannie W.	Butler Co. Mo.	19 Oct 1882
George W.	STOTLER Sarah A.	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	20 Oct 1852
George W.	REED Evaline	Reynolds Co. Mo.	31 Jan 1878
George W.	HENDERSON Charlotte L.	Iron Co. Mo.	31 Jan 1872
George W.	DILL Emaline	Morgan Co. Ind.	22 Nov 1860
Gideon	MOORFIELD E.A.	Halifax Co. Va.	8 Nov 1839
Hannah	PURYEAR Peter	Halifax Co. Va.	2 Jan 1809
Harris	CHATTIN Frances	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	1795
Henry	BENJAMIN Ellen	Story Co. Iowa	17 Apr 1875
Henry E.	BISHOP Phidelia	Story Co. Iowa	3 Apr 1870
Hugh	NELSON Ruth	Morgan Co. Ind.	12 May 1861
Hugh	LLOYD Alice	Morgan Co. Ind.	7 May 1880
J.	FLORA Susan Y.	Halifax Co. Va.	29 Jul 1841
J. C.	HIPSHER Malvina	Story Co. Iowa	25 Feb 1875
J. W.	OSBORN, Alice A.	Story Co. Iowa	17 Oct 1872
Jacob	SHIELDS Cynthia	Morgan Co. Ind.	19 Jan 1854
Jacob F.	CARTER Sarah E.	Morgan Co. Ind.	25 Feb 1874
Jacob, Jr.	LAKE Mary	Morgan Co. Ind.	13 Apr 1854
James	MASON Elizabeth	Iron Co. Mo.	6 Dec 1870

James H.	HANES Rachel	Halifax Co. Va.	28 Aug 1800
James M.	STAFFORD Rose A.	Morgan Co. Ind.	23 Dec 1854
James M.	BOYD Sarah A.	Morgan Co. Ind.	4 Feb 1860
James P.	CAMPBELL Mary P.	Iron Co. Mo.	15 Mar 1868
James W.	FOULKS Elvira	Halifax Co. Va.	28 Sep 1837
ames Z.	CHANDLER Amanda	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	17 Jun 1869
Jane	TEANY George	Bartholomew Co. Ind.	14 Aug 1834
Jefferson	YATES Nancy Ann	Reynolds Co. Mo.	8 Apr 1881
Jensey	WITCHER Ephraim	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	11 Feb 1796
John	BURTON Nancy	"	9 Feb 1796
John	LAKE Ann	Morgan Co. Ind.	20 Nov.1856
John	DECOURCEY Jane	"	28 Aug 1864
John	MARTIN Rebecca	Halifax Co. Va.	5 Jan 1828
John	OWEN Lucy	Halifax Co. Va.	1 Mar 1810
John	CRADDOCK N.M.	"	30 Dec 1819
John	MC GREGOR E.	"	21 Dec 1795
John	THORNTON Prudence	"	13 Aug 1791
John	THOMPSON Mary	"	27 Oct 1781
John	CUMMINGS Elizabeth	Bartholomew Co. Ind.	5 Aug 1845
John C.	HOWARD Lilly C.	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	12 Dec 1865
John H.	GRAVES Amanda	Bartholomew Co. Ind.	6 Sep 1849
John H.	BAKER Kathrine Bk. D:283	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	ca 1875
John M.	STEPHENSON, Imogene D:283	"	ca 1875
John N. of Bond Co.Ill.	ALEXANDER Catharine N.	Washington Co. Mo.	17 Oct 1848
John Quincy	BROWN Catherine Mrs. See Catherine Adams	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	12 Jan 1833
John R.	WOODS Margaret	Washington Co. Mo.	8 Dec 1884
John R.	MASON Delacy A.	Iron Co. Mo.	1 Jan 1866
John T.	TURPENT Mary J.	Morgan Co. Ind.	23 Dec 1878
John W.	HARVEY Elvira M.	Morgan Co. Ind.	5 Sep 1869
Jonas (Rev.) see Zenas	WOODS Mary	Washington Co. Mo.	13 Feb 1887
Josanna	TALBOT Jeremiah	Halifax Co. Va.	24 Feb 1834
Joseph	WATKINS Elizabeth	"	24 Sep 1799
Julia B.	HICKEY John L.	Morgan Co. Ind.	24 Feb 1878
K.	RUDDER Edward	Halifax Co. Va.	8 Nov 1820
Larkin	CHAMBERS Nancy	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	8 Mar 1797
Lavinia	MORCUM Reuben	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	8 Apr 1858
Leroy	FREEMAN Love E.	Morgan Co. Ind.	25 Dec 1878
Levi	CHAMPTON Nancy L.	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	11 Jun 1848
Lou	HARRIS Andy	Morgan Co. Ind.	9 Sep 1869
Margaret	WADE R.	Halifax Co. Va.	23 Feb 1852
Margaret	CHANDLER J. D.	"	Oct 1850
Margaret	KING John V.	Morgan Co. Ind.	28 Jan 1863
MAria	DAMASCUS Nathaniel	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	10 Jul 1873

Martha	PALMORE Isaac	Halifas Co. Va.	7 Apr 1823
Martha	DICKSON Thomas	"	Dec 1771
Martin	CHILDRESS Jane	Bartholomew Co. Ind.	29 May 1835
Mary	GABBERT Thomas J.	"	19 May 1836
Mary	HERVY William D.	"	29 Mar 1831
Mary	OVERTON Joseph	Halifax Co. Va.	18 Feb 1789
Mary A.	HURLEY Oliver	Morgan Co. Ind.	18 Feb 1858
Mary E.	HOGELAND George W.	"	25 Jan 1863
Mary J.	MILLER August	Morgan Co. Ind.	24 Jan 1850
Mary K.	COLEMAN Francis	"	16 Jun 1880
Mary R.	VADEN Robert W.	Halifax Co. Va.	16 Dec 1851
Milley	ROWDEN Laban	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	27 Dec 1785
Monroe	FENNISON Rebecca A.	Washington Co. Mo.	6 Apr 1855
Moses	CAMPBELL Melissa H.	"	5 Sep 1875
Moses	BUCKNER Mary A.	Halifax Co. Va.	13 Oct 1842
Moza	GEORGE Polly	"	26 Jun 1797
N.	NAGLUND John	"	14 Nov 1812
Nancy	POWELL James	"	13 Feb 1800
Nancy	RICHARDS Leonard	Bartholomew Co. Ind.	30 Jun 1824
Nathan	CAMPBELL Agness	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	19 Jul 1790
Nelson	EVANS Parthenia E.	Washington Co. Mo.	26 Mar 1871
Nipper	CARTER Frances	Halifax Co. Va.	1 Jul 1795
Nipper	FARMER Polly	"	17 Dec 1785
Nipper	FARMER Obedience	"	16 Jun 1791
Peter M.	WILLIAMS Milly	Morgan Co. Ind.	9 Mar 1854
Phillip	BEEDLES Martha	Halifax Co. Va.	12 Nov 1818
Polly	LUCK John	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	20 Dec 1784
Polly	JONES Absalom	Halifax Co. Va.	6 Nov 1811
R. G.	CHANDLER Judith	"	23 Nov 1837
Rebecca	HOFFMAN David L.	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	14 Jan 1872
Rebecca	MC NAUGHT James R.	Morgan Co. Ind.	8 Apr 1855
Rebekah	MABRY Robert	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	6 Dec 1799
Rednor W.	WILBURN Martha	Halifax Co. Va.	Aug 1847
Richard	MC DOWELL S.	"	22 Jan 1851
Richard	PREWITT E.	"	13 Sep 1781
S.	SCOTT C.	"	11 Jan 1837
S.	THOMAS James	"	6 Jan 1814
S.	BARNETT Currie	"	8 Apr 1811
Sally	BULLINGER Jefferson	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	10 Nov 1831
Sally	MURPHY Edw.	Halifax Co. Va.	7 Jun 1803
Samuel L.	SPARKS Anna	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	17 Jul 1865
Sarah	PARSONS Joseph	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	20 Jun 1791
Sarah	KINNEY Stephen	Sunbury Co. N.B. Canada	3 Nov 1819
Sarah	BOYD Patrick	Halifax Co. Va.	20 Nov 1785

Sarah A.	WESTERMAN W.E.	Iron Co. Mo.	28 Sep 1879
Sarah A.	CHAMPLIN John	Morgan Co. Ind.	30 May 1857
Sarah E.	MC CALL J.S.	Morgan Co. Ind.	12 Jan 1871
Sarah E.	HUFFMAN Jonathan	"	14 Jan 1872
Sarah L.	HILL James D. (HITT)	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	10 Aug 1849
Simon	DIX Henrietta	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	8 Mar 1787
Spencer	CORBIN Sarah	"	10 Feb 1796
Susan	POINTER Joseph	Halifax Co. Va.	4 Sep 1835
Susanna	ROWDEN Joseph	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	6 Jan 1790
Susannah	TURNER George	Halifax Co. Va.	7 Nov 1799
Susannah	BALL Richard	"	3 Nov 1798
Suzannah	ROGERS Peter	Halifax Co. Va.	31 Jan 1805
Sylvester	BOYD Mary	"	9 Feb 1792
Thomas	HUDELSTON Polly	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	10 Dec 1829
Thomas	CORLIS Clarissa	Sunbury Co. N.B. Canada	25 Jul 1825
Thomas	NOBLES Rachel	Halifax Co. Va.	11 Nov 1782
Thomas	JORDAN Martha	"	30 Nov 1825
Thomas S.	HINTON Molly	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	9 Apr 1873
William	MEACHAM Fanny	Pittsylvania Co. Va.	17 Aug 1795
William	REVELL Mahala	Cape Girardeau Co. Mo.	7 Dec 1830
William	DE VAULT Eviline	"	1 Apr 1844
William	GREER Nancy	"	27 Oct 1832
William	WILBURN America	Halifax Co. Va.	16 Oct 1839
William	PEARCY Charity	Morgan Co. Ind.	30 Nov 1865
William C.	MASTERS Eliza A.	Bartholomew Co. Ind.	23 Jun 1846
William C.	BUNNAL Cindrella	"	17 Mar 1831
William E.	PRUITT Belinda	Morgan Co. Ind.	22 Nov 1866
William G.	LOGEL Susan	Butler Co. Mo.	25 Dec 1884
William K.	VOYLES, Mary E. (Vogler?)	Morgan Co. Ind.	Oct 1869
William W.	WILSON Susan	Halifax Co. Va.	2 Mar 1852
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HISTORY OF THE ADAMS CHRISTIAN CHURCH

AND ITS FOUNDERS

The Adams Christian Church, named for its location on the Adams' farm, stands on the corner of State Road 49 and County Road 250. Hiding beneath its old brick walls, is an illustrious history of service to the community and its people. If those silent walls could speak, what a story of joy and sorrow they could tell.

This information was gleaned from *Porter County History,* some old newspaper clippings, a church record started in 1904, and some stories told by our forefathers. The only record found of the church was in 1904. Recorded by my mother, Mrs. Robert Adams, are the names of those who joined the church in that year. The total number recorded from 1904 to 1950 is 275 members.

An Indian trail and stagecoach route (now State Road 49) from Michigan City to the Kankakee Rover ran north and south through the prairie. Along the trail were a few Indian huts and trading posts. One of these was Tassoning, a village no longer in existence. *Porter County History* tells us that at one place a road, known as the Adams Road, turned to the west. This is the corner where the church stands.

No history of this old church would be complete without telling of some of the first settlers of Morgan Prairie. Early in 1833 William and Isaac Morgan came from Virginia and chose the rich prairie land as a place to settle, and it still bears their name.

In April of 1833 Henry S. Adams, his mother, his wife, and three daughters came from Jefferson County, Ohio, and bought 160 acres of land at $1.25 per acre and built the first log cabin in Morgan Township. The Pahl family now own the land and have the deed which was signed by President Martin Van Buren. (Nancy, one of Henry Adams' daughters, married George Patton and was the mother of J. Newton Patton, who was an Indiana State Representative.) 1904

To the north was the Enoch Baum land on which the first school house was built. The building, made of logs, was twelve by fourteen feet and had split logs for seats and greased paper for windows. Miss Aurilla Stoddard was the first teacher. Several large maple trees across from the cemetery mark the site of the Adams School.

To the west was the Jacob Stoner home, and on this land the first cemetery was plotted. The first grave was of a little Adams girl and was thought to be on the Adams land. But when the land was surveyed, the grave proved to be where the four sections met; thus you will find the broken corner there yet today. I found the little stone marked *"Infant Adams"* with the date 1833. (This information was told by an older member of the Adams family--- Mrs. Etta Massey, sister of the little girl.) The headstones in this old cemetery tell the history of the settlers and residents of Morgan Prairie through the years. The most noted person buried here is Gilbert A. Pierce who was born in Tassoning and was a governor of South Dakota and the man for whom the state capitol there is named.

This old cemetary was vandalize on Sept 1, 1971 and many of the old stone destroyed-

Indians still roamed the prairie and often came to the settlers' homes asking for bread. My father told the story of an Indian coming to his grandmother's asking for bread. On being told that the loaves he could see baking in the open fireplace were not ready to eat, he did not believe it. He grabbed a loaf of the hot dough and went screaming across the prairie with hot dough sticking to his fingers.

In April of 1835 Lewis Comer, a very religious young man who was studying for the ministry, came from Ohio with his wife and family and bought land northeast of Adams Corners. Ministers in the early days received no pay, so he farmed his land and often prepared his sermons while working in the field or while walking to visit a sick neighbor after a hard day's work. His first duty on the prairie was to bury David Agnew who had frozen to death when he became lost in a severe April blizzard. (Some historians say this was the first grave in the cemetery, but it could not be according to the date on the Adams marker.)

Reverend Comer had six children, and his boys loved to play pranks on their father while he was preaching. Ministers of the early days always wore Prince Albert coats (long-tailed ones) with a pocket in the back folds. Once when Reverend Comer was preaching and wanted to read from the scriptures, he reached in his pocket for his New Testament that he always carried. Much to his surprise, he found it held a deck of cards instead. He calmly remarked, "Oh, those mischievous boys of mine." Father Comer, as he had become known, was pastor, friend, and religious leader of the people of Morgan Prairie for over forty years. He passed away on January 21, 1876. On the day of his funeral, although it was a bitter cold and stormy day, one of the largest crowds ever assembled at the Adams Church filled both church and yard. He was laid to rest in the little cemetery where so many of the early settlers sleep. *Porter County History* tells that his name appears more frequently in the county records than any other officiating minister.

By 1840 under the leadership of Reverend Comer the need was felt to establish a church as the population was increasing. *Census Records* of 1850 show that 58 families were living in Morgan Township at that time. There were 375 persons, 100 of which were children, and by 1860, 730 persons. Its property valuation was $60,300. The following information concerning the formation of the church was copied from a letter written by Thomas McConnell to the *Vidette Messenger* in June, 1926: "Elias Axe, Joseph McConnell, Alex Campbell, George Turner, and Elder Comer, all members of the Christian church, met in the home of Henry S. Adams of Morgan Prairie and organized the first Christian church in Porter County." Lewis Comer was the first elder and Henry S. Adams the first deacon. Some of the first members were Thomas Adams, Henry Adams, George Turner, Elias Cain, Jacob Stoner, Enoch Baum, and Joseph McConnell and their wives.

Church meetings were held in homes and in the school house for nearly thirty years. On May 11, 1869, Henry S. Adams and his wife, Jane, deeded an acre of land on the northeast

corner of their farm to be used as a site for a Christian church. When no longer used as a Christian church, it was to revert back to the Adams heirs. In the same year the church was built costing about $2,000. Its first trustees were: Enoch Baum, A. W. Patton, Aaron Stoner, Jacob Stoner, and John Brumbaugh. This church became the place of worship for farm families far and near.[1] In the early days all funerals were held in the church. Sunday was a day of worship, and church history tells us that people were fined for breaking the Sabbath.

Little is known of the church in its early years as I could find no records, but it is evident that the church increased greatly due to the large families. After the death of Reverend Comer, Reverend Lemuel Shortridge was its pastor for many years. History of the early churches tells of the much-debated subject of the use of hymn books and the organ for church worship. So when an organ was purchased by this church, it caused a division For some time both factors held services, but eventually all services were discontinued. In the late 1890's -- the building stood idle for a few years.

Some of us still remember the revival that was held in January, 1904, when Reverend Vernon Harrington Was sent out by the Valparaiso church as the evangelist. It was good sleighing all through the five weeks of the meeting. Every night bobsled loads of folks crowded the old church. On January 30, sixty converts were baptized in the Valparaiso Christian church, and the Adams Church was reorganized, with Reverend Harrington as its pastor. Under him, the Sunday School, the Christian Endeavor Society, and the Church again enjoyed an era of growth, having Sunday School each week and *Church* every other Sunday Reverend Harrington had revived the church in Kouts, so he preached there on the other Sunday. Money was scarce in those days, and churches were poor, so they could not afford a minister full-time. Some of the elders at that time were: Lemon Cain, George Adams, Russell Stoner, Robert Adams, and Henry Pahl. This was truly an ecumenical church as all faiths worshiped here - Lutherans, Methodists and Presbyterians. Often they served as teachers in the Sunday school. In 1912 the pastor, Reverend Elmer Lincoln, held a revival that added new members and new life. For many years the church was well-attended, but with the coming of the automobile and some members moving away, the church again had to close. During these years of 1922-23, high school classes were held in the church while they were waiting for the new Morgan High School to be built.

Reverend O. E. Oxley of the Boone Grove Christian church held a revival meeting in the fall of 1924 adding 55 members, and they with the former members again opened the Adams Church. W. C. Aschenhort, the state evangel-

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[1] Some other members of the church at this time were: Samuel Stoner, Lucinda Adams Stoner, George Adams, Rebecca Stoner Adams, George Patton, Nancy Adams Patton, Cora Benham & family, Gordon Crow, Bessie Comer Crow, Jerry Stoddard, Joseph Crow & family, Harvey Fairchild & family, August Shults & family, and Cyrus Shults.

ist, held a meeting in 1930, and thirty more new members were added. However, very few weddings were held in the church during this time. The only one I ever attended was that of Gordon Bauer and Maxine Adams, great-great-granddaughter of Henry S. Adams. In the 1940's some of the younger members started a movement to change the name of the church to Morgan Township Bible Church. When they found this was impossible, they left and started a church by this name in Malden. With a Church of Christ, the non-instrumental group, and their Shults-Lewis Children Home only a mile away, and the new Morgan Township Bible Church in Malden, the century-old Adams Church that had served the people so long and well had to close its doors in about 1950. Eugene Kimbrook was the last minister to serve the congregation, and the elders were Floyd Adams, John Carlson, Clarence Miller, Kenneth Owens, Alonzo Sims, and William Walters.

There has been little change made in the building through the years, the exterior still being the same. Folding seats replaced the old, uncomfortable pews. The vestibule was taken out, and the platform raised. (The old pews and the organ that were stored in the barn on the original Adams homestead were destroyed by fire.) The same pulpit with the original big Bible bearing the date of 1869 remains.

In the summer of 1948 some old friends and pupils of the Rising Sun School planned a reunion. Someone suggested that we all attend church as services were still being held there then. So for twenty-three years we have met on the third Sunday in August. Through this annual reunion, we have maintained the old building by putting on a new roof, painting the interior, planting trees, and keeping the lawn mowed, preserving it as a historical memorial to the early settlers of the prairie.

From the church have gone many faithful workers, some who have become ministers and one girl who was a missionary to Japan - Edna Williams Messenger. This church building, which has served so many people in this community in the past, will observe its 100th birthday. The little Christian church, having survived over a century, stands silently as a reminder of the faithful Christians who down through the years have kept the Adams Church alive. It is our prayer that it may some day again be active.

Mrs. Florence Adams Geiger
6530 Jefferson
Hammond, Indiana

August 17, 1969

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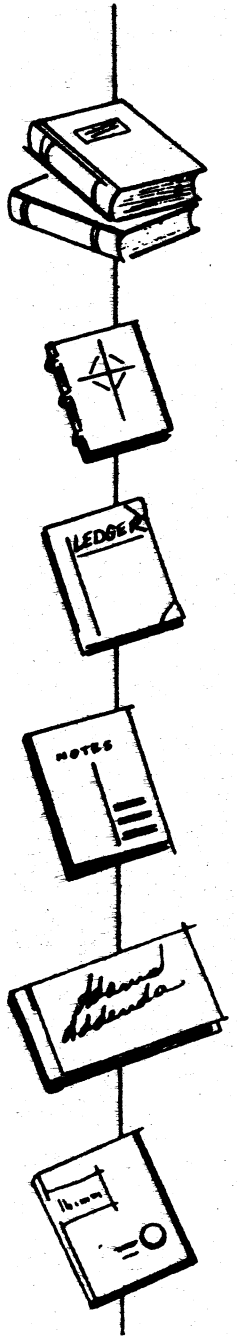

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SOME DESCENDANTS

OF

WILLIAM ADAMS

OF

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SOME DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM ADAMS OF IPSWICH, MASS.

The germ of the following record was printed in the New England Historical and Genealogical Register for July, 1864, with nearly this introduction:

"'Adams, William, Cambridge 1635, or earlier, freem. 22 May 1639, rem. prob. bef. 1642, to Ipswich, but at C. had William, Nathaniel, and Samuel, prob. b. in Eng. and he d. 1661.' So much may be read in the Genealogical Dictionary of New England; but except that one line of the descendants of William junior is traced by Miss F. M. Caulkins in Vol. XXXI. of the Collections of the Mass. Historical Society, and by another hand in Vol. VIII. of the N. E. Historical and Genealogical Register, nothing more is known concerning this family; and the author of the latter article, Dr. Ashbel Woodward, says, 'The descendants of Wm. in the male line have long since become extinct'; while Mr. Frederick Kidder, the Historian of New Ipswich, conjectures that Ephraim Adams of that place was gr.-gr.-grandson of William junior. I have lately made investigations which show that the statement of Dr. Woodward and the supposition of Mr. Kidder are both wrong. * * * *" To this I have only to add that fuller researches show that the family is in fact a large one.

1. I. The first certain knowledge we have of William Adams is as a commoner of Ipswich, where he is found 31 January, 1642; but he was very probably made Freeman of Mass. 22 May, 1639. He was a Selectman 1646, and died in 1661; his widow was living in 1681. He probably lived in or near what is now Hamilton. Children:

i. William. 2
ii. John, b. about 1631. 3
iii. Samuel. 4
iv. Hannah, b. ———; m. 6 December, 1659, Francis Muncy of Ipswich, and probably secondly John Kimball.
v. Mary, b.———; m. 29 February, 1660, Thomas French of Ipswich.
vi. Nathaniel, b. about 1641. 5

SECOND GENERATION.

2. II. WILLIAM ADAMS, born ——; married Elizabeth, daughter of Simon Stacy of Ipswich; died at Ipswich 18 January, 1659; she died in 1655. Children, probably born at Ipswich:

i. William, b. 27 May, 1650. 6
ii. Simon. 7
iii. John, b. ———; living in 1699; probably left no descendants.

3. II. JOHN ADAMS, born about 1631; married Rebecca ——, who died with her child 31 December, 1666, and he married secondly Sarah ———. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. John, b. 11 March, 1668. 8
ii. Mary, b. 26 August, 1670; m. Joseph Whipple of Ipswich; d. 16 June, 1734; he d. 14 December, 1729.
iii. ———, b. in May, 1676; d. 2 June, 1676.

His wife died 31 May, 1676, and he married thirdly 8 May, 1677, Dorothy (?) Dorcas Dwitt; was Lieutenant; died at Ipswich in 1703; she died 9 November, 1707, aged 68. Child, born at Ipswich:

iv. Dorcas, b. 16 March, 1678; m. Daniel Warner of Ipswich; d. 13 May, 1749; he d. 20 January, 1754.

4. II. SAMUEL ADAMS, born ———; married 20 December, 1664, Mehitable, probably daughter of George Norton of Ipswich; was living in 1690. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Mehitable, b. 27 October, 1665; m. 11 October, 1685, John Osborn of Ipswich.
ii. Mary, b. 20 October, 1667.
iii. Samuel, b. 26 December, 1670.
iv. William, b. 26 January, 1673.
v. Sarah, b. in June, 1677.

5. II. NATHANIEL ADAMS, born about 1641; Freeman of Massachusetts 27 May, 1674; married 30 June, 1668, Mercy, daughter of Thomas Dickinson of Rowley; died at Ipswich 11 April, 1715; she died(?) 12 December, 1735. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Nathaniel, b. 11 July, 1670. 9
ii. Thomas, b. 14 June, 1672. 10
iii. Mercy, b. 1 April, 1674; d. 13 June, 1674.
iv. Sarah, b. 19 July, 1675; m. ——— Fairfield.
v. William, b. 29 June, 1678; probably d. young.
vi. Mercy, b. 18 March, 1680; m. 4 February, 1703, John Smith of Ipswich, who d., and she m. secondly 18 September, 1716, Arthur Abbot of Ipswich; d. 11 September, 1733; he d. 16 June, 1767.
vii. Samuel, b. 29 June, 1682. 11

THIRD GENERATION.

6. III. WILLIAM ADAMS, born at Ipswich 27 May, 1650; Harvard College 1671, Rev.; Freeman of Massachusetts 9 January, 1674; married 21 October, 1674, Mary, daughter of William Manning of Cambridge. Children, born at Dedham:

i. Mary, b. 12 November, 1675; d. 13 April, 1676.
ii. Eliphalet, b. 26 March, 1677. 12
iii. William, b. 17 January, 1679; d. 15 August, 1679.

His wife died 24 June, 1679, and he married secondly 27 March, 1680, Alice, daughter of William Bradford of Plymouth; was settled at Dedham 1673–85; died 17 August, 1685; his widow married James Fitch of Norwich, Conn. Children, born at Dedham:

iv. Elizabeth, b. 23 February, 1681; m. at Norwich, Conn. 4 September, 1696, Rev. Samuel Whiting of Windham, Conn., who d. 27 September, 1725, and she m. secondly Rev. Samuel Niles of Braintree; d. at New Haven 21 January, 1767; he d. 1 May, 1762.
v. Alice, b. 3 April, 1682; m. in January, 1701, Rev. Nathaniel Collins of Enfield; d. 19 February, 1735; he d. in 1756.
vi. William, b. 17 December, 1683.
vii. Abiel, b. 15 December, 1685; m. Rev. Joseph Metcalf of Falmouth, who d. 24 May, 1723, and she m. secondly Rev. Isaac Chauncy of Hadley, who d. in 1745.

7. III. SIMON ADAMS, born at Ipswich ———; married Hannah ———; was a soldier in the Narragansett Campaign; died at Ipswich 17 October, 1723; she died 6 May, 1727. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Sarah, b. ———; m. in 1713, Henry Russell of Ipswich.
ii. Hannah, b. 18 January, 1692; m. 23 May, 1728, John Gammage of Ipswich; d. 10 March, 1753; he d. 25 April, 1753.
iii. Simon, b. 20 October, 1694; d. 24 December, 1721.
iv. Daniel, b. 26 November, 1697; d. 26 November, 1773.

8. III. JOHN ADAMS, born at Ipswich 11 March, 1668; married 22 May, 1690, Hannah Treadwell of Ipswich; died in 1717; she died 23 October, 1733. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Hannah, b. 25 April, 1691; m. in 1725, Jonadab Waite of Ipswich, who d. 6 July, 1761.
ii. Sarah, b. ———; m. Samuel Gardner.
iii. Abigail, b. ———; m. in 1727, Thomas Brown of Wenham.
iv. John, b. about 1700. 13
v. Mary, b. ———; m. 26 February, 1728, Daniel Choate of Ipswich.
vi. Priscilla, b. in 1712; m. in 1734, Nathan Chapman of Ipswich.

9. III. NATHANIEL ADAMS, born at Ipswich 11 July, 1670; married in January, 1693, Abigail, daughter of Caleb Kimball of

Ipswich; died 31 August, 1736; she died 30 May, 1755. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Nathaniel, b. 1 March, 1695; d. at Boston 25 October, 1712.
ii. William, b. 26 November, 1696. 14
iii. Abigail, b. 6 December, 1699; m. in 1718, William Goodhue of Ipswich; d. 10 September, 1764; he d. 17 April, 1765.
iv. Caleb, b. 13 February, 1702. 15
v. Mercy, b. 25 February, 1704; m. in 1723, Thomas Savery of Bradford.
vi. Robert, b. 14 October, 1705.
vii. Anna, b. 25 March, 1708; m. in 1725, John Woodman of Newbury.
viii. Mary, b. in 1714; m. in 1732, Thomas Lamson of Ipswich, who d. 31 August, 1751.

10. III. THOMAS ADAMS, born at Ipswich 14 June, 1672; married Bethiah ———; died at Ipswich 24 October, 1729; she died (?) 12 January, 1742. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Bethiah, b. 21 October, 1694; d. 26 June, 1710.
ii. Sarah, b. 2 April, 1697; m. 7 February, 1717, Josiah Bishop of Ipswich.
iii. Thomas, b. 31 August, 1699. 16
iv. Joseph, b. 12 November, 1702. 17
v. Lydia, b. 16 December, 1704; m. 12 January, 1723, Benjamin Woodbury of Ipswich.
vi. Elizabeth, b. 22 June, 1707; m. 18 April, 1728, Peter Lamson of Ipswich.
vii. Benjamin, b. 22 April, 1710.
viii. Charles, b. in 1712; m. in 1733, Mary Perkins of Wenham.
ix. Bethiah, b. in 1714; probably d. young.

11. III. SAMUEL ADAMS, born at Ipswich 29 June, 1682; married in 1706, Mary, daughter of Andrew Burley of Ipswich; died 13 August 1747; (?) she died at Worcester 5 March, 1772, aged 84. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Mary, b. 27 July, 1708; m. 27 June, 1733, Abner Stow of Grafton, who d. 8 December, 1783.
ii. Sarah, b. 2 March, 1710; m. 9 January, 1729, James Whipple of Ipswich, after of Grafton; d. 22 November, 1759; he d. 8 February, 1759.
iii. Samuel, b. 19 January, 1711. 18
iv. Nathaniel, b. in 1712; (?) m. in 1746, Martha Emerson of Ipswich; perhaps moved to Worcester.
v. Andrew, b. in 1715. 19
vi. James. 20
vii. John, b. ———; m. 31 October, 1745, Mary Hunt of Concord; moved to Sutton.
viii. Jonathan, b. in (?) 1722; perhaps moved to Shrewsbury.
ix. Elizabeth, b. ———; m. ——— Dane.
x. Eunice, b. ———; m. in 1747, George Andrews of Ipswich.

FOURTH GENERATION.

12. IV. ELIPHALET ADAMS, born at Dedham 26 March, 1677; Harvard College 1694, Rev.; married 15 December, 1709, Lydia, daughter of Alexander Pygan of New London, Conn. Children, born at New London:

i. William, b. 17 October, 1710; Yale College 1730, Rev.; d. 25 September, 1798.
ii. Pygan, b. 27 March, 1712.*
iii. Mary, b. 5 March, 1714; m. 13 November, 1733, Jonathan Gardiner, who d. in 1735, and she m. secondly 29 October, 1738, John Bulkley of Colchester, Conn.; d. 24 January, 1750; he d. 21 July, 1753.
iv. Thomas, b. in 1715–16; Yale College, 1737; d. 7 September, 1753.†
v. Samuel, b. 11 August, 1717; d. young.
vi. Lydia, b. 20 February, 1720; d. 17 July, 1721.

His wife died 6 September, 1749, and he married secondly at Boston 21 September, 1750, Elizabeth Wass of Boston; was settled at New London 1709–53; died 4 October, 1753.

13. IV. JOHN ADAMS, born at Ipswich about 1700; married in 1725 Phebe Burnham of Ipswich; died 28 November, 1729; his widow married in 1732, Nathaniel Cross of Ipswich. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Lucy, b. in 1726; d. 19 January, 1737.
ii. Eunice, b. in 1728; m. in 1744, Isaac Smith of Ipswich.

14. IV. WILLIAM ADAMS, born at Ipswich 26 November, 1696; married in 1716 Mary, daughter of John Warner of Ipswich. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Mary, b. in 1717; m. in 1738, William Whipple of Ipswich.
ii. Abigail, b. in 1719; m. in 1744, Joseph Bolles of Ipswich.
iii. William, b. in 1722.
iv. Nathaniel, b. in 1727; m. in 1757, Ruth Bolles of Ipswich.
v. Sarah, b. in 1729; m. in 1750, Jacob Low of Wenham.
vi. ——— son, (?) John, b. in 1731; m. in 1754, Mary Lamson of Ipswich.

15. IV. CALEB ADAMS, born at Ipswich 13 February, 1702; married 3 February, 1731, Esther Brown of Ipswich. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Caleb, b. in 1732; m. in 1754, Hannah Lamson of Ipswich, who d. soon, and he m. secondly in 1757, Margaret Davison of Wenham.
ii. Esther, b. in 1733; m. in 1754, Moses Cummins of Ipswich.
iii. George, b. in 1735; m. 27 June, 1757, Elizabeth Rogers of Ipswich.
iv. Mary, b. in 1738.‡

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* For descendants, all in female lines, see Collections of Mass. Hist. Soc., XXXI.
† See Collections of Mass. Hist. Soc., XXXI.
‡ She is recorded as daughter of Caleb and Mary, so that her mother *may* have been second wife, but probably it was a mistake of the clerk.

16. IV. THOMAS ADAMS, born at Ipswich 31 August, 1699; married 17 April, 1722, Deborah Knowlton of Ipswich; died in 1765. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Thomas, b. 15 February 1723. 21
ii. Ezekiel, b. ———; m. in 1748, Judith Preston of Beverly.
iii. Ephraim, b. about 1726; m. 6 April, 1749, Lydia Kinsman of Ipswich; moved to New Ipswich; d. 26 March, 1799.*
iv. Benjamin, b. in 1728; m. 18 April, 1751, his cousin Priscilla Adams (17. i.); moved to New Ipswich; d. 5 May, 1815.†
v. Joseph, b. in 1733; d. in 1734.

17. IV. JOSEPH ADAMS, born at Ipswich 12 November, 1702; married 10 January, 1728, Priscilla Warner of Ipswich. Children:

i. Priscilla, b. at Ipswich 3 January, 1729; m. at Concord 18 April, 1751, her cousin Benjamin Adams (16. iv.); d. at New Ipswich 19 February, 1791.
ii. Lydia, b. at Ipswich 16 October, 1730; d. 3 July, 1731.
iii. Mary, b. at Concord 5 May, 1733; d. 9 September, 1733.

He was a cooper, and 27 November, 1730, bought of Daniel Raymond of Concord eighty acres of land in Concord on the way to Chelmsford; moved to Concord, where his wife died 6 January, 1734, and he married secondly 4 November, 1736, Dorothy, daughter of Joseph Merriam of Concord; died at Concord 10 May, 1790; his widow died 25 July, 1791, her death being "caused partly by a fall." Children, born at Concord:

iv. Dorothy, b. 26 August, 1737; d. 10 April, 1766.
v. Ruth, b. 14 January, 1739; m. 8 September, 1761, Peter Fletcher of New Ipswich; d. 28 April, 1816; he d. 11 April, 1812.
vi. Mary, b. 14 March, 1742; m. 24 April, 1760, Isaac Appleton of New Ipswich; d. 22 May, 1827; he d. 25 February, 1806.‡
vii. Bethiah, b. 3 June, 1744; d. 30 September, 1753.
viii. Mercy, b. 14 January, 1747; m. 21 April, 1768, Benjamin Pollard of Lincoln, who d., and she m. secondly Jonas Whiting; d. at Norway, Me., 12 August, 1815.
ix. Lydia, b. 22 August, 1750; m. 28 April, 1774, Joseph Chandler of Concord; d. 10 December, 1829; he d. 19 January, 1813.

18. IV. SAMUEL ADAMS, born at Ipswich 19 January, 1711; married in 1738, Sarah Treadwell of Ipswich; died 26 August, 1757. Child, born at Ipswich:

i. Sarah, b. in 1739.

19. IV. ANDREW ADAMS, born at Ipswich in 1715; married 15 October, 1741, Elizabeth Hunt of Concord. Children, born at Grafton:

i. Elizabeth, b. 4 March, 1744; m. ——— Waters.

* For descendants see History of New Ipswich.
† For descendants see History of New Ipswich; from him comes Prof. Charles K. Adams of University of Michigan, interested in the Genealogy of the Family.
‡ These were the grandparents of the author.

ii. Ruth, b. 25 April, 1746; m. John Whipple of Grafton.
iii. Mary, b. 28 December, 1748; m. Daniel Grout of Grafton and Acworth, N. H.
iv. Andrew, b. 21 October, 1751; m. Lucy Merriam; d. 25 August, 1841.*
v. Sarah, b. 30 April, 1754; m. 22 June, 1774, Solomon Rand of Rindge, N. H.
vi. Nathaniel, b. 1 January, 1756; m. Mary Harrington; d. 24 January, 1829.*
vii. Martha, b. 23 December, 1759; m. Daniel Whipple of Grafton and Walpole, N. H.

His wife died at Grafton 9 August, 1770, and he married secondly 30 May, 1771, Mrs. Sarah Torrey of Mendon; lived at Grafton.

20. IV. JAMES ADAMS, born at Ipswich ———; married in 1741, Elizabeth Dane of Ipswich; lived at Sutton; died 4 August, 1804. Children, born at Sutton:

i. James, b. ———; d. young.
ii. Nathaniel, b. ———; m. Lucy Woods of Southboro'.
iii. Francis, b. ———; m. 11 April, 1780, Abigail Taft.
iv. Elizabeth, b. ———; m. David Temple of Grafton.
v. Samuel.† [1811.‡
{ Israel, b. ———; m. 10 January, 1787, Joanna Dodge; d. 11 May,
{ Anna, b. ———; m. 3 December, 1772, Ezekiel Goldthwait.
viii. Lydia.
ix. Moses, b. in 1760; m. 29 March, 1786, Elizabeth Whipple of Grafton; d. 2 May, 1839; she d. 1 February, 1844.
x. James, b. ———; m. 29 November, 1787, Hannah Potter.‡

FIFTH GENERATION.

21. V. THOMAS ADAMS, born at Ipswich 15 February, 1723; married in 1744, Elizabeth Brown of Ipswich; died in 1790. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Deborah, b. 1 May, 1745; probably d. young.
ii. Elizabeth, b. 5 December, 1746; m. in 1776, Daniel Appleton of Buxton; d. 5 September, 1832; he d. 14 March, 1836.
iii. Hannah, b. 10 February, 1749.
iv. Abigail, b. 21 September, 1750; m. Thomas Ross of Gilmanton, N. H.
v. Bethiah, b. 12 December, 1752; m. ——— Brown.
vi. Lucy, b. 1 November, 1754; m. 10 February, 1778, William Brown of Ipswich.
vii. Sarah, b. 15 January, 1756; probably d. young.
viii. Thomas, b. 2 September, 1757; m. Anna Porter; d. at Gilmanton, N. H., 6 May, 1844.§

* For descendants see History of Grafton.
† See History of Grafton.
‡ See History of Sutton.
§ For descendants see History of Gilmanton.

ix. Moses, b. ———; (?) was of Beverly; d. in 1796.
x. Lydia.
xi. Mary, b. ———; m. Ephraim Smith, who d., and she m. secondly William Price of Gilmanton, N. H.

Undoubtedly of this family was ELIPHALET ADAMS of Ipswich, whom I am not able to identify, but who married in 1730, Anna Morse of Newbury. Children, born at Ipswich:

i. Sarah, b. in 1732.
ii. Anna, b. in 1733-4.
iii. Moses, b. in 1735.
iv. Aaron, b. in 1738.

William Adams (1. I.) left a will, of which there is no trace, except that it was proved at Ipswich Court 25 March, 1662. In 1668, Nathaniel and Samuel Adams executed articles of agreement concerning the estate of their father William, in which reference is made to the will, to their mother as living, to their brother John and sisters.

William Adams (2. II.) died intestate, and administration was granted by Ipswich Court to his father and brother John; on the father's death, Nathaniel the brother was put in his place. It was stated that the deceased left eldest son William, and two other children. 29 March, 1692, Lieut. John Adams, aged 60 and upwards, made a deposition, in which he named his father William, and his brother William, who left three sons, William, Simon and John.

John Adams (3. II.), Simon (7. III.) and Daniel his son, John (8. III.) and Hannah his widow, Thomas (10. III.), Samuel (11. III.), John (13. IV.), Thomas (16. IV.) and Thomas (21. V.), all left wills recorded at Salem, where is also found the settlement by division of estate of Nathaniel (9. III.).

MR NATHANIEL ADDAMS
DIED: APRIL Y 11, 1716
IN Y 74 YEAR OF
HIS AGE:
NOW HES GON TO EER-
NALL REST
GOD WIL HIM SAFLY KEEP
ALLHOUGH HES BURIED
IN Y DUST
JESUS HE DOTH SLEEP,
O YOU HIS CHILDREN
THAT ARE LEFT
I PRAY LET SOME BE FOUND
THAT DO ENDEAVOUR
TO MAKE GOOD
YOUR FOREGON LEADERS
GROUND
GRAVE SAINT BEHIND
THAT CANNOT FIND
THY OLD LOVE NIGHT NOR
MORN:= PRAY LOOK A
BOVE FORTERS YOUR LOVE
SINGING WITH Y
FIRST BORN.

KENTUCKY TAX LISTS 1843-1855

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LETCHER COUNTY, KENTUCKY

Mrs. Willis K. Baker, P.O. Box 50, Artois, Ca. 95913, shares this list and following material with you. The list was purchased on microfilm from Kentucky Historical Society, Frankfort, Ky. where others are available. Margaret King Library, Univ. of Ky. also has the film for viewing.

LETCHER COUNTY situated in the southeastern part of KENTUCKY was a stop-over for many Adamses on treks to the West and the south. Today's phone book attests this surname predominates all others.

1843

ADAMS	ACRES	WATER SOURCE	CH
George	150	Ky.River	2
Moses	100	"	3
Randolph	300	"	4
Solomon	200	"	4
Absolom	30	"	1
William	60	"	4
Jesse	125	"	5
Moses Sr.	68	"	2
Isaac	100	"	3
Stephen	50	"	1 or 6
Spencer	50	"	3
Letty °°		"	0
Wm. Sr.	50	"	2
Wm.	50	"	0
John Jelico	50	"	2
Jesse Jelico	50	"	0
John *	50	"	0
Benjamin	250	"	6
Stephen Sr.	400	Cumberland	3
Elijah	400	"	0
Jesse	350	"	0
Moses	250	Rockhouse	3
Stephen	75	"	0
Spencer	75	"	0
Jesse B.	75	Ky. River	0
Moses	75	"	0

1844

Jesse	200	Ky. River	1-4
Moses Sr.	200	"	1-0
Absalom	50	"	1-2
Wm.	60	"	1-4
George	280	"	1-3
Moses Sr.	290	"	1-2
Wm.Jellico	75	"	1-1
Wm.Jellico	50	Thornton	0-0
Moses	275	Rockhouse	--3
Stephen Jr.	75	Colly Crk.	--2
John	150	Ky. River	--5
Benjamin	250	"	--4
Wm.	45	"	--0
Spencer	45	"	0-0
Letty	24	"	0-0
Stephen**	24	"	0-4
John *	24	"	1-0
Stephen	300	Cumberland	1-4
Isaac	100	Cowen Crk.	1-0
Moses (Smoot)	50	"	1-4
Elijah	300	Cumberland	1-4
Randolph	400	Ky. River	1-3

1845

Moses Sr.	50	Smoot	3
Moses Jr.	50	--	0
Wm.Moon	160	Ky. River	4
Spencer	160	"	2
Absalom	100	"	0
Elijah	100	--	4
Moses Rkhs	300	Rockhouse	3
Stephen,Sr	200	Cumberland	5
Benjamin	250	Ky. River	3
Jesse	100	"	4
Wm.	100	--	0
John *	--	--	4
Wm.Jellico	80	Thornton	4
John Jelico	50	--	0
Simpson "	50	--	0
John Cager	100	Ky. River	3
Moses Sr.	180	"	1
Stephen Jr.	150	Rockhouse	3
Isaac	100	Cowin Crk.	4
Randolph	400	Ky. River	2
Jesse Jelic	400	--	4
Stephen	100	Colly Creek	0
Wm.Jr.Jelic	45	--	4

1846

Moses	Ky. River	3
Blanate (?)	"	4
Moses	Rockhouse	3
George	Ky. River	5
Stephen	Colley Crk.	3
Absalom	Ky. River	1
Jesse	Ky. River	3
Moses Sr.	Back Branch	0
Wm.	Ky. River	4
Isaac	Little Cowen	3
Moses Jr.	"	3
Stephen	Mill Crk.	3
John	Thornton	4
Spencer	Rockhouse	1
Elijah	Carsfork	1
Jesse	Ky. River	0
Wm.	"	1
Wm. Sr.	Little Colley	0
Jesse Tolson	Thornton	3
Wm. Jelico	Ky. River	1
Simpson	Thornton	0
John	Ky. River	4
Elizabeth	--	2
Spencer	Carsfork	4
John Jr.	Ky. River	1
Benjamin	"	4
William	"	3
Spencer	Thornton	4

1847

Stephen	Colley Creek	2
Jesse	Cumberland	2
Elijah	Carsfork	1
Absalom	Ky. River	2
Jesse Jelico	"	2
Simpson	"	0
Moses Sr.	"	4
John Jelico	"	5
George	"	8
Stephen	Rockhouse	0

Gilbert	Ky. River	0
John Q.	Smoot Crk.	0
Moses Sr.or Jr.	Cumberland	0
Spencer °°	Cowen	4
Wm.	Thornton	1
Stephen	Mill Creek	1
Jesse *	"	0
Benjamin	Ky. River	4
Wm. J.or T.	"	1
Isaac	Cowen Crk.	3
Moses Jr.	Ky. River	4
Wm.	"	5
John	"	6
Spencer	"	0
John *	"	1
Wm.	Boonsfork	3
Spencer	"	0
Randolph	Ky. River	6
Moses (Rockhouse)	Rockhouse	4

1848

Wm.	Ky. River	1
Wm. T.	"	5
Stephen	Colley Crk.	5
Stephan	--	0
Elijah	Carsfork	2
Stephen	Mill Creek	2
John	Ky. River	2
John M.or N.	Ky. River	0
Jesse Sr.(?)	Mill Creek	0
Spencer	--	0
Jesse Z. or T.	Thornton	4
John	--	0
Gilbert	--	0
Spencer	--	0
Jesse	Cumberland	4
Randle	Ky. River	4
John Jr.°°	--	0
Simpson	Ky. River	0
Jesse	Colley Creek	0
Wm.	Ky. River	0
Susannah °°	--	1
John Q.	Thornton	5
George Esq.	Ky. River	2
Moses	"	3
Jesse	"	3
Isaac	Cowen Creek	4
Moses	--	2
Moses (Rockhouse)	Rockhouse	4
John	Ky. River	4
Benj.	"	5
Moses	"	0
Absalom	"	2

1849

John Q.	100	Cowen Crk.	0
Isaac	100	"	4
Stephen S.	--	--	0
Moses Rckhs.	300	Rockhouse	5
John *	240	Ky. River	2
Wm. Tolson	160	"	4
Jesse "Boss"	--	"	2
Gilbert	--	"	0
Moses *	112	Campbranch	0
Jesse ****	150	Colley Crk.	0
John Cager	100	Ky. River	5
John Jelico	150	Thornton	6
Jesse *	50	Mill Stone	0
Randolph	400	Ky. River	4
John ***	--	--	0
John G.(?)	125	Smoot Crk.	0
Jesse "spoonfork"	1450	Cumberland	6
Elijah	150	Carsfork	2
George	400	Ky. River	4
Stephen**	100	Rockhouse	0
Moses Jr./Sr.	--	--	5
Wm.Jelico	95	Ky. River	1
Benjamin	250	Ky. River	3
Jesse Jelic	--	--	5
Simpson	550	Ky. River	0
Spencer	--	"	0
Wm.	50	--	0
Simpson	300	--	3
Moses Sr.	290	Ky. River	3
Absalom	100	--	3
Stephen	150	Colley Crk.	2
Spencer	--	--	0
Harrison	--	--	0
Elizabeth°°	--	--	0
Benjamin	160	Ky. River	0

1850

Stephen**	150	Smoot Crk.	0
-- °°	100	Rockhouse	0
Moses Sr.	290	Ky. River	5
George	380	"	6
Jesse	--	Campbranch	1
Isaac	100	Cowen Crk.	6
Stephen	175	Rockhouse	4
Elijah	150	Little Cowen	2
Jesse	1450	Cumberland	4
John Q.	100	Cowen Crk.	0
Squire°°	10	Colley Crk.	0
Wm.Tolson	160	Ky. River	5
Moses S.(?)	--	"	4
Wm.,Sr.Jelli	--	"	0
Wm. G.	200	"	2
Simpson Jr.	50	"	0
Simpson Sr.	300	"	2
John G.	200	Colley Crk.	1
Jesse B.	50	Mill Stone	0
John A.Jelli	150	Thornton	6
Spencer "	--	Mill Creek	0
Jesse "	--	Thornton	6
Stephen Sr.	--	Ky. River	1
Gilbert	100	Burning Fork Floyd Co.	0
Jesse	150	Colley Crk.	0
Benj.	250	Ky. River	2
-- °°	150	"	0
John *	140	"	2
Benj. Jr.	--	"	0
John C.	100	Mill Creek	4
Moses, Rckhs	600	Rockhouse	5
Harrison	--	"	0
Absalom	100	Ky. River	3
Randolph	400	"	4
John B.	--	Adams Branch	0
Moses, Jr.	300	Campbranch	0

1851

John	--	--	0
Jesse Sr.	--	--	5
George	25	Ky. River	3
Benj. Sr.	290	"	2
Jesse B.Jr.	50	Mill Stone	1
Stephen Jr.	250	Colley Crk.	4
Stephen Sr.	175	Smoot Crk.	0
Wm.Sr.	--	--	0
Wm. Jr.	300	Ky. River	2
Jesse	--	--	6
John A.	100	Thornton	6
John G.(?)	--	--	1
Randolph	600	Ky. River	4
John***	--	--	0
Stephen*****°°	--	--	0
John*	140	Ky. River	3
Absalom	100	"	3
Isaac	100	Cowen Crk.	4
Wm. T.	260	Ky. River	5
Moses Sr.°°	190	"	4
Moses Smoot	--	--	4

Benj.	290	Ky. River	2
John Cager	100	"	5
Simpson	50	"	0
Moses R.	800	Rockhouse	5
Harrison	--	--	0
Jesse****	150	Crafts Colley	1
Stephen S.	--	--	0

1852

Wm. T.	Ky. River	5
Simpson	"	'
Benj. Jr.	"	0
Wm. Sr.	"	0
Stephen	"	1
Jesse	Colley Creek	0
Squire	"	0
Jesse B.	Millstone	1
Wm. G.Jr.	Ky. River	0
Isaac	Cowen	0
John Cager	Mill Creek	0
Moses Sr.	Ky. River	5
Moses "Smoot"	"	5
John Jelico	"	7
Moses +°°	"	0
John ++	Kingdom Come	0
George	"	3
Randolph	Ky. River	4
John***	"	0
Jesse Jelico	"	7
Allen	Colley Creek	0
Absalom	"	4
Benj. Sr.	Smoot Creek	2
Spencer	--	1
Benj. +++	--	0
Stephen**	--	0
Moses	--	5
Stephen***	--	0
Stephen Rockhouse	--	5
John	--	3
Harrison	--	0

NO TAX LIST FOUND FOR 1853

1854

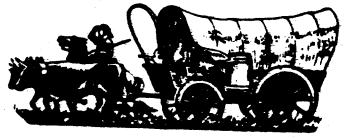
Jesse Jelico	--	7
Benj. Jr.	--	0
Issak	Cowen	5
Spencer++++	--	0
Moses Jr.	Cumberland	0
Moses "Smoot"	Stephens Br.	4
Allen	Colley	0
Stephen "Shanks"	"	1
Stephen**	Smoot	0
Jess "Shanks"	Colley Creek	1
Randolph Ky.	River	4
John ***	"	0
John G.	Kingdom Come	2
George Jr.	"	0
Harrison	Colley	0
Moses Sr.Rckhs	Rockhouse	5
Moses °° "	Defeated Br.	0
Absalom D.	Smoot	4
Wm.	Cowen	0
Jesse B.	Millstone	2
Squire	--	0
Stephen Rckhs	Colley	5
Moses Sr.°°	Ky. River	5
Simpson	Stephens Br.	1
Wm. T.	Ky. River	4
Wm. Jelico	--	0
George Sr.	Kingdom Come	6
Benj.	Ky. River	1
Wm. Tolson	--	0
Spencer	Stephens Br.	1
Stephen Rockhs	Carsfork	0
John B.	Ky. River	4
John Cager	Mill Creek	5

1855

Randolph A.	--	0
Simpson	--	0
Benj. B.	--	0
Moses	Cumberland	0
George Jr.	--	0
Absalom	Smoot Creek	3
Wm. Sr.	--	8
Jesse B.	Millstone	2
Wm. G.	Ky. River	3
John Jelico	--	7
Wm.°°	--	0
Simpson	Stephens Br.	2
Spencer	--	2
Moses "Smoot"	--	5
Isaac	Cowen Creek	5
Allen	Colley Crk.	5
Wm. G.	Ky. River	6
Jesse	Colley Creek	2
Spencer Jr.	--	0
Stephen	Smoot Creek	1
Stephen	--	5
Moses	Rockhouse	6
Stephen "Shanks"	--	2
Randolph Sr.	Ky. River	4
Stephen *	--	0
John ***	--	0
Jesse gelico	Stephens Br.	8
John Cager	Mill Creek	5
Benj. Sr.	Ky. River	1
Kizier		
Wm.	Cowen Creek	0
Harrison	Colley Crk.	6
John B.	Ky. River	4

END

*	Benjamin's son
**	Moses son
***	Randolph's son
****	Stephen's son
+	Jesse's son
++	George's son
+++	Absalom's son
++++	John's son
°°	No males over 21.



One Adams family in this area was known as "Jellico set". For a brief period they settled in Whitley Co. Ky., on the Tenn. line adjacent to Jellico, Tenn. Later moving into what was to become Letcher Co. Note JELICO appearing with some given names.
The "Rockhouse Set" is identified with (Rchs) after their names. Etc.,.
We have employed symbols to identify given parents.

Now, see how many families you can construct from the lists. Happy hunting!

MOSES ADAMS OF NORTH CAROLINA, TENNESSEE AND KENTUCKY

Descendants of MOSES ADAMS, born 1775 in N. C., will be interested to know proof has been found that his first wife was MARY GARLAND, daughter of SAMUEL GARLAND of Carter Co. Tenn. MOSES ADAMS married Mary in 1796. He was from Wilkes Co., N. C. The proof was found in the will of SAMUEL GARLAND.

SAMUEL GARLAND Will, filed June 26, 1824 but never probated. It is not in the usual place but in a separate box.

ABSTRACT: Grandsons, $50 each, SAMUEL and ISAAC GAIRLAND, both being sons of WILLIAM GARLAND of 'this county and State'. AMBROSE and HARPER GAIRLAND, and WILLIAM and LERESTIS GARLAND and sons-in-law MOSES ADAMS and GRIFFIN MEARS...

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MOSES and MARY GARLAND ADAMS lived in Tenn. until after their fifth child was born in 1806. (Ref: 1850 Letcher Co., Ky. census, remaining children were born in Ky.) Before 1808 the family settled near the mouth of Pert Creek on North Fork of the Kentucky River two miles above Whitesburg. Moses died there, 18 May 1854, 79 years of age.

The SAMUEL BLAIR Cemetery where many of the Adams family are buried is across the river from the spot where Moses lived and where the first circuit court was held under a beech tree in the corner of his yard.

MARY GARLAND ADAMS died after 1821 and MOSES married July 20, 1825 KISSIAH HAYS (b. March 13, 1815 in N.C.) Moses was 75 when his last child, KISSIAH ADAMS, was born.

MOSES is said to have been the son of WILLIAM ADAMS, born ca 1739, married MARY BAKER, 1775, in Rowan Co., N.C. Some say his wife was MARY COPENHAVER and that he died of measles 1777 at Valley Forge. CAN ANYONE PROVE OR DISPROVE THIS????

WILLIAM ADAMS is "said" to have been "the" William named in a will made by BENJAMIN ADAMS In N.C. 1755. PROOF NEEDED!

Mrs. Willis K. Baker, P.O. Box 50, Artois, Ca. 95913

MOSES' children by each wife:

GIVEN NAME	BIRTH & STATE	SPOUSE
JESSE (BOSS)	7/25/1798 Tn.	#1.Mgt. Maggard #2.Angeline Solomon
GEORGE	9/16/1800 Tn.	#1. Henrietta Caudill, 2.Sarah
SARAH	6/8/1802 Tn.	John B. Maggard
STEPHEN (SHANK)	8/25/1804 Tn.	#1. Elizabeth Whitaker, 2.Sarah ADAMS dau. of WM (BILLY GRIT) ADAMS.
WILLIAM TOLSON	3/16/1806 Tn.	#1 Annie Helton, #2. Sarah Hall.
NANCY	6/20/1808	GILBERT ADAMS
ISAAC	6/25/1810 Ky.	#1.Parthia Webb #2.Nancy Hays
MOSES(SMOOT)	4/28/1812 Ky.	Rebecca Roberts or Hall
MARY(POLLY)	7/8/1815	Samuel Cornett
JANE	2/21/1821	Isaac Brashear

**********CHILDREN OF SECOND**********
MARRIAGE

RACHEL	5/18/1835	John G. Sturgill
HENRY	10/29/1836	Pollyann Webb
FRANKIE	11/27/1838	Enoch Webb
LOUVINIE(VINY)	4/4/1841	Samuel Blair
ELIZABETH	1/11/1843	Thomas Williams
MARGARET	8/16/1847	Stephen Blair

Compiled by Ethel Adams Baker, P.O. Box 50, Artois, Ca. 95913.

Note by ye Ed: It is believed that JOHN and BENJAMIN ADAMS who came into this section of Kentucky ca 1803 are closely related to this family. They, too, had large families with much usage of all given names above. Can any assistance be given in isolating any of the family groups? This ed. is particularly interested in learning parentage of one Dianah ADAMS, b. ca 1824, Ky. Dorothy A. Griffith

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Bible From Frank L. Davis, 604 Dartmouth Pl.S.E., Albuquerque, N.M. 87106

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July 29th 1784

Sally Hall Adams born
December 17th 1787

Married July 13th 1809

Margaret E Adams born
August 26th 1810

James Lewis A born
May 5th 1813

Mary Knox Adams born
September 14th 1815

Elizabeth Jane Adam
Feb ary 2d 1819.

Hugh Martin Adam
November 18th 1821.

Sarah Adams died
September 6th 1824
aged 36 years 8 months 20 days.

Cynthia H Adams
January 18th 1807

Eleanor Dougan
born Dec 21 797

Married to David
Adams Dec 27th 1827.

John Dougan Adams
born Nov 25th 1828 6.30 A.M.

Mary K. Adams
died Sept 2d 2 o'clock Nov 182

Hugh Martins Adams
died June 9th 7 pm 1830

Andrew Adams born
June 10th 1831

John Dougan Adams died
Sept 8th 1832 - 3 o'clock

John Finley Adams
July 16th 11 o'clock morn 1833

David McCockle Adams
Born Sept 15th 1836
Martha Adams April 20 1839

Martha Adams April 20th 1839

James Adams
September 26th
aged 85 years 11 mos

The Bible from which this photo copy of family record was made was published in Scotland and purchased by James Adams in 1777 or 1787
The record is of the family of David Adams, son of James. Daughter, Ellen Adams not listed here was born after Martha who was born in 1839.
James Adams was born in Ireland, son David in North Carolina, Both died in Ohio.

JAMES TAYLOR ADAMS COLLECTION

JAMES TAYLOR ADAMS IS MEMORIALIZED IN THIS AND FUTURE ADDENDA'S BY PUBLISHING EXCERPTS FROM THE VAST AMOUNT OF GENEALOGICAL MATERIAL IN THE COLLECTION.

ANOTHER FINE TRIBUTE HAS BEEN MADE TO HIM BY VIRGINIA CALVACADE, SPRING 1972. PATSY MELLON AND EDWARD L. HENSON, JR. HAVE WRITTEN AN EXCELLENT ARTICLE, JAMES TAYLOR ADAMS, 1893-1954, A MOUNTAIN SCHOLAR. THE SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS MAGAZINE (WITH PHOTOGRAPHS) IS OBTAINED FROM VIRGINIA STATE LIBRARY, RICHMOND, VIRGINIA, 23219. OTHER ARTICLES THEREIN ARE: "JOHN FOX, JR." (AUTHOR OF TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE), "GLADEVILLE AND THE MOUNTAIN STEREOTYPE 1856-60" BY DR. HENSON, "LOG HOUSES IN SOUTHWEST VIRGINIA", AND OTHERS.

PLEASE DO NOT RELY UPON ACCURACY IN ANY PART OF ADAMS ADDENDA. WE STRIVE BUT TO PROVIDE CLUES. CLUES THAT WILL LEAD TO DOCUMENTATION OF NEEDED FACTS. HOWEVER, PLEASE NOTIFY ADDENDA OF ERRORS. WE'LL BE MOST APPRECIATIVE.

ROCKCASTLE & GARRARD CO., KY., & CULPEPER VA.

A letter dated 1926 from Covington, Georgia..

My grandfather was WM. SAMPSON ADAMS of Rockcastle Co. and Garrard Co., Ky., born 1813. My great grandfather was JACK ADAMS a brother of the famous DEVIL BILL ADAMS of Garrard Co. My great-great-grandfather was a FEATHERGILL ADAMS whose father was, I am told, ABSALOM ADAMS and he was from Culpeper Co., Va...

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TORN MEMO OF FAMILY BIBLE sent from Roanoke, Virginia in 1926:

Record of WILLIAM ADAMS and SARAH ____TTON,
____LIAM ADAMS, b. Oct. 27, 1778
____AH ADAMS, b. July 26, 1791
Children:
____ES ADAMS, b. Oct. 13, 1811
____ARY A. STRATTON ADAMS, b. Feb. 10, 1813
____IER JANES ADAMS, b. Nov. 14, 1815
____ANCIS ADAMS, b. Nov. 4, 1817
THOMAS ADAMS, b. Feb. 22, 1821
PAULINA ADAMS, b. Sept. 29, 1823
JOHN ADAMS, b. Sept. 3, 1826
CATHERINE MIRANDA ADAMS, b. Mar. 19, 1829
HENRIETTA ADAMS b. Oct. 7, _____
WILLIAM ADAMS, died March 8, _____
SARAH ANN ADAMS, d. Oct. 17, 18__aged 56 yrs.
There is an old graveyard on STRATTON farm four miles from Bunker Hill in Bedford Co. where many of the Adams' are buried.

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FAUQUIER CO. VA., GUARDIAN'S CONSENT LETTER

Memo of a marriage bond dated June 20, 1769 of GEORGE ADAMS and ANN TURNER, THOMAS MARSHALL, surety. Affixed to the application was:

Portobosso Md., June 4, 1769...Dear Brother, (by this appellation I hope Hence forth to distinguish you) I received yours of the 25th of May by your Father and by it observe that you and sister ANNA have agreed to take each other for better, for worse, for which you have my free consent. I could have wished my sister a little older as I'm again she is rather too young to take the management of household affairs, but I trust to your prudence & discretion & doubt not but that thro the example of so good a family she may learn to do well. Your apology about her advice was needless. I have always esteemed a son of worthy parents (especially when he copies their virtues) above every other consideration. You have nothing more to do but presevere in well doing as you have done hither to which will crown your steps with happiness & I flatter myself that my sister will cheerfully join in everything for the mutual advantage of you both. The small patrimony due her from her father's estate shall be cheerfully paid you by me when call'd for. I have nothing further to add but my sincere wishes for your wellfare and that I am with Real regard, Yours, ZEPH TURNER

P.S. Would it not be better to refer your marriage till the winter? However, be advised by your father and follow his devotion.

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Mr. BOOKE, Clerk, Fauquier Co., Sir: I expect you will be apply'd to for license to join Mr. GEO. ADAMS and ANNA TURNER in holy matrimony you need not scruple granting them as they have the free consent of her brother who is her guardian, as well as ye hum'le serv't.

HEZ'H TURNER
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ELBERT COUNTY, GEORGIA

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Will of THOMAS ADAMS,
Wife, SALLIE ADAMS. Children: THOMAS, CULVIN & ELIZABETH, MOURNING, NICHOLAS M., JAMES B., RICHARD C., ABNER and JOHN.
Written Dec. 7, 1825, no date of proof given.
Witnesses: WILLIAM ADAMS, HIRAM ADAMS, WILLIAM ADAMS, JR.,. JTA 1:89/3

FROM DEPUTY CLERK OF OWENTON, KY.,(OWEN CO.) 1929

Abstract....I have failed to find any record of any Adams marriage earlier than 1840 and that was a DANIEL ADAMS. We have a copy of a will of 1800 made by RICHARD ADAMS of Richmond, Va., recorded there and transferred here. RICHARD ADAMS names eight children:

RICHARD, JOHN, SAMUEL GRIFFIN, TABITHA, ELIZABETH GRIFFIN, ANN, SARAH and ALICE.

This will was made in Richmond on Jan. 30, 1800 and witnessed by WM. SMITH, BOWLER COCHE, WM. DANDRIDGE JR., & JOSEPH SELDEN. (No mention of date of recording.)

I find REUBEN ADAMS owned quite a bit of land in or near New Liberty. Each deed mentions wife, POLLY ADAMS. After his death, his wife, as executrix in one or two deeds, gives place of residence as Marion Co., Ind. These deed are made in 1826. JTA 1:89/3

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WHAT? NO JOHNS? NO WILLIAMS?----------

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A.S. ADAMS, Insurance & Real Estate Broker, Roanoke, Va. sent the following in 1926------

LEWIS ADAMS, 1782-1863
MARY MEED, his wife, 1786-1864
Children:

CREED ADAMS, 1808-1889
REED ADAMS, 1810-1891
SNEED ADAMS, 1812-1897
SPEED ADAMS, 1814-1856

REED married SUSAN CAMPBELL and had the following children: JIM, BOB, BRACK and DUMP.

SNEED married SYNTHIA ANGLE and had: P.W. (Dump) 1842-1904, and H.T. (Dink) b. 1848 --.

P.W. m. ANNE ELIZA MCGHEE. They had: JOHNNIE and SAM, JIMMIE, MOLLIE and NANNIE.

H.T. and JOSIE WHITE had: A.S. (1877), J.S. (1878), T.G. (1880), PEARL (1881), T.T.(1887)
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MADISON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, WILL IN DEED BOOK

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Deed Book D, page 447--
Will of THOMAS ADAMS, October 6, 1828
Children: JOHN, WILLIAM (the latter of Barren Co.), ELIZABETH & POLLY COY (husband was STEPHEN COY.) JTA 1:89/3

ROBERT ADAMS SR., GOOCHLAND CO., VA. WILL .

BOOK 3, PAGE 305
Wife: MOURNING
Children: JAMES, ROBERT, JUDITH CLARK, MARY MOREMAN, ELIZABETH MOREMAN, AGNES FARGUSON, SUSANAH, LUCY, ANN and SALLY.
Written Feb. 22, 1738, proven June 17, 1740.
JTA 1:89/3

DEED OF MOURNING ADAMS, Book 4, page 126....
ALBEMARLE COUNTY, VIRGINIA
Widow of ROBERT ADAMS SR.
Children: ROBERT, JAMES, ANNA SAUNDERS, JUDITH CLARK, MARY MOREMAN, AGGY FARGUSON, ELIZABETH MOREMAN, SUSANNAH GRAVES, LUCY GRAVES, ANNA DOUGLAS & SALLY HARRIS
Deed proven August 8, 1765 JTA 1:89/3

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GEORGIA & TEXAS...LETTER FROM DEVEREUX, GA... 1929

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My grandmother, JANE, was one of three girls, SARAH and FANNIE were the others. There was one boy, THOMAS JEFFERSON, who after he had grown to man-hood moved to Texas.
Their father and mother are buried in the same grave. She died of a broken heart a few days after her husband. The young children were all taken by relatives. Three were reared in Eatonton. SARAH m. ALEX REID and lived in Putnam Co. FANNIE m. Dr. BRANTLEY & died years ago in Savannah, Ga. Jane was cared for by her Uncle JOHN HUDSON in Hancock Co. The old home is occupied now by Mr. JOHN KIMBROUGH, R.F.D., Shoulder, Ga., and there are graves of some of our relations outside the yard... JTA 1:89/3

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FROM ELLERTON, GA., 1927, SIGNED EDNA ROGERS

ABSTRACT....Our branch went to Ala...most of the other children settled in Elbert Co. Ga. Tradition says JAMES ADAMS, who m. CECILY FOSTER owned the land Richmond is now built on.

A grandson of JAMES ADAMS, my ancestor, says JAMES lived in James City County, Va., but my record says he was born in Albemarle Co.. When he came to Elbert Co. his son WILLIAM was married and SAMUEL was 12 or 15 years of age.

We have always heard, and the older people here says its true, that JAMES ADAMS first married Miss HARRISON, a sister of President BENJAMIN HARRISON of Charles City, Co., Va. and WILLIAM, oldest child, was a child of this marriage.

JAMES was the first school teacher in Centerville District. His home was in this district and is still known as his place though it has passed out of the family. His children and grandchildren lived close by. JAMES is buried on this place and a couple years ago our DAR Chapter put up a government marker to his memory in a nearby cemetery.

JAMES ADAMS married CECILY FOSTER and had three sons:

THOMAS (married SALLY FORD)
COLUMBUS (went to Ohio)
JAMES (m. #1. Miss HARRISON, #2 JANE CUNNINGHAM-dau. of JAMES CUNNINGHAM.

JAMES was b. in Albermarle Co. Va., Oct. 18. 1753. Died in Elbert Co. Ga. in 1835. He came to Elbert Co. in 1796.

He served in the Revolution first as a Minute Man. He was entitled to two draws in the contemplated Land Lottery. He volunteered from Fluvannah Co. Va. as a Minute Man in the latter part of 1777. He volunteered as a Sergeant from Charlotte Co. Va. in 1781.

He drew a pension in his last days. He was totally blind several years before his death and his children were:

WILLIAM (m. Ms. MANSFIELD of Baltimore, Md. who d. 1818, #2.m. SARAH HEAD.)
SAMUEL (b. Va. 1784. m. MARTHA ANN THORNTON dau. of DOZIER THORNTON)
ANN THOMPSON (m. HIERON GAINES)
JANE (m. ISHAM TEASLEY)
ELIZABETH (m. IVEY SEALES)
JOHN C.

All children, except SAMUEL, settled in Elbert Co. Ga. JTA 1:89/3

TENNESSEE CEMETERY

Mrs. G.O. Kiger, a correspondent of JTA and a subscriber to our "AA" sent the following in 1935:

This past Sunday I had the privilege of going to DeKalb Co. Tenn. and visited the old family burial ground. The plot was in bad state but some neighbor had picked up fallen stones and piled them neatly nearby. From these I copied---

ABRAHAM ADAMS, b. Jan. 16, 1790, d. Sept. 19 1867
NANCY (ADAMS) ADAMS, wife of Abraham, b. Apr. 9, 1790, d. Feb. 1, 1852
PETER ADAMS (son of Abraham), b. Jan. 9, 1813 d. Oct. 15, 1884
ELIZABETH C., Wife of Peter Adams, born April 16, 1807, d. Sept. 4, 1867.
JANE (dau. of Abraham) wife of WILLIAM TURNEY no marker
WILLIAM TURNEY, b. March 9, 1814, d. May 22, 1857 JTA 1:89/3

GEORGE ADAMS, Will, written 1 May 1747, proven 6 Aug. 1751, in Lancaster Co., Pa.,.
Wife, KATHERINE (Dixon)
Ch: WILLIAM, ANN, SARAH, JANE.
Witnesses: GEORGE MARTIN, JACOB MORGAN.

WILLIAM ADAMS, Will, written, 9 May 1815, proven 1815, Book 3, page 122, Surry Co.,N.C.
Wife, (no mention)
Ch: JONATHAN, WILLIAM, MOSES, GEORGE, JANE BROWN, RACHEL MOON, MARY BROWN, SARAH JOHNSON, MARGARET FLEMING and JOHN.
Grandch: JAMES
Executors: JONATHAN and JOHN ADAMS
Witnesses: JOSEPH DAVIS, SUSANNA ADAMS.

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WILLIAM ADAMS was born 15 Sept. 1734 at Chester Co.,Pa. He died 13 July 1816 (?) in Surry (Yadkin) Co., N.C.
He married SUSANNA MARTIN (18 June 1734-2--Dec. 18-), in Pa., about 1754. She was dau. of MOSES & MARGARET BATTIN MARTIN.

Children:

JANE (JEAN), 15 Feb. 1755, Bedford Co., Va., d. 1842, m. THOMAS BROWN

RACHEL, b. 2 Jan. 1757, Orange Co. N.C., m. JOHN (PETER) MOON.

MARY, b. 9 Feb. 1759, Orange Co. N.C., m. RICHARD BROWN (bro. of THOMAS)

ANNE, 24 Jan. 1761, Orange Co., N.C., m. ISAAC PERKINS in 1783, same county

JONATHAN, 22 Jan. 1763, Orange Co. N.C. d. 1851, m. ANNE BROWN (sis of THOMAS & RICHARD, & dau. of WILLIAM & HANNAH MOON BROWN.)

SARAH, 25 Jan. 1765, Orange Co. N.C., d. 1862, Wayne Co., Ind., m. WILLIAM JOHNSON, 20 Mar. 1793, Surry Co., son of STEPHEN & MARTHA W. JOHNSON

WILLIAM, 30 July 1767, Orange Co., N.C., m. MILLICENT BARNETT, 1798.

MOSES, 18 Aug. 1769, Orange Co. N.C., m. ca. 1791

GEORGE, b. 7 Oct. 1771, Orange Co., N.C., d. 1827, m. #1 AGATHA JACKSON, #2. LYDIA PARKER.

JAMES, b. 14 Nov. 1773, Orange Co., N.C., d. 1773, same county. Buried Cane Creek Meeting House, 19 Nov. 1773.

MARGARET, b. 11 Nov. 1775, Orange Co. N.C m. JESSE FLEMING, 1802.

JOHN, b. 12 Dec. 1778, Orange Co., N.C., m. ELIZABETH ---, ca 1803.

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In Wayland's "The History of Hopewell, Virginia" (page 61) it is recorded SUSANNA ADAMS of Goshen Monthly Meeting, Chester Co., Pa., had gone with her husband, who was not a Friend, to Virginia with her church certificate signed and directed toward Hopewell or elsewhere, dated 9 Sept. 1754.
"Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy" by Hinshaw, Vol. I, records: SUSANNA ADAMS was received by Cane Creek Monthly Meeting, Orange (Alamance) Co., N. C., 7 Feb. 1756, on certificate from Goshen Monthly Meeting.
(On 4 Sept. 1762, WILLIAM ADAMS was received by the church on request.)

Enroute from Pennsylvania to North Carolina WILLIAM and SUSANNA ADAMS stopped in Bedford County, Virginia for a time where their first child, Jane (JEAN), was born in 1755. SUSANNA ADAMS was accepted by the Quaker congregation in Orange Co., N. C., one year later.

On 5 May 1787, WILLIAM & SUSANNA ADAMS, with their children: WILLIAM, MOSES, GEORGE, JOHN,

SARAH & MARGARET transferred their membership to Deep River Monthly Meeting, Guilford Co., N.C. Their certificates were accepted at Deep River on 2 July 1787.

Because they married out of unity many of William and Susanna's children were disowned by the church. They were: MARY, SARAH, GEORGE MARGARET and WILLIAM, JR.

No record of WILLIAM ADAMS owning property in Orange County has been found. About the same time this family moved their church affiliation to Guilford County, WILLIAM ADAMS bought property in Surry County adjacent to JOHN ADAMS (who may have been brothers) on the Ruffork Waters of the Town Fork on the Dann River. The tract of 140 acres was surveyed 15 Dec. 1782 and the State Grant for the property was dated 9 Aug. 1787 (State Grant Book 65 page 241, file 881). In 1792 WILLIAM ADAMS, JR. received two land grants on Forbes Creek in Surry County (State Grant Book 76, pages 386 and 392).

See paragraph two, of this article, for will of WILLIAM ADAMS.

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Contributed by: W. G. Scroggins, 300 E. 40th St., 22c, N. Y., N. Y. 10016

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...AARON ADAMS, MASSACHUSETTS TO KENTUCKY...

Great-great grandmother ANN ADAMS is said to be daughter of AARON ADAMS. She married WILLIAM P. REED, 24 Jan. 1822, in Grant Co., Ky. I have no info concerning her parentage or sibling.

Grant Co. History, published 1876, lists an AARON ADAMS as a deceased soldier of Revolutionary War. AARON appears on list of Grant Co., Ky. pensioners in 1840. The only record of Aaron Adams in National Archives was one who fought in Northwest Indian Wars, 1792. He was 71 in 1840. His invalid pension file gives no family data. A Pvt. in Capt. John Adair's Co. of Ky. Militia, wounded in an engagement with Indians at Ft. St. Clair, North west Territory. He resided in Cynthiana, Ky. (Harrison Co.) in 1808, a locality where others of my lineages lived. Pension #24446.

In 1829, Harrison Co., Ky. a deed from Aaron Adams to NICHOLAS MILNER for 250 acres of Ravens Creek. Nicholas Milner is my great great grandfather.

The problem is complicated as two AARON ADAMS families exist in 1820 Ky. census. ANN could be of either family as we have no birth date. (Grant & Harrison counties). In the 1850 census of GRANT CO., AARON, age 80, gives his birthplace as Mass. He is included in the household of JAMES MOREHEAD which furnishes no clue at the present.

REFERENCES: 1790 census, Worcester Co. Mass.
1800 census, Pendleton Co. Ky.
1805 Pendleton Co. Ky. Marr. to JEAN STEWART
1808 Bourbon Co., Ky. Marr. to NANCY RENELL
1810 census, Bourbon Co. Ky.
1820 census, Grant Co., Ky.
1829 deeds, Harrison Co. Ky.
1830, census, Bath Co. Ky.
1850, census, Grant Co. Ky.

Mrs. Jay H. Ross, 3719 Meadow Ave. N., Renton Washington, 98055

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WHAT'S IN A NAME?

By

RUTH ROBINSON SEIBEL

Calling to my attention the use of Nancy as a 'pet name' for Agnes by Scottish people, Mr. John Frederick Dorman, Editor of the Virginia Genealogist, explained among my own Adams' what had puzzled me. He also pointed out that Nancy was used for Anne by the English.

The OXFORD DICTIONARY OF ENGLISH CHRISTIAN NAME by E. G. Withycomb, published by the Oxford University Press, 1947, throws more light on the confusion in genealogical records in having both Agnes and Nancy used in reference to the same individual.

Have you found Tetty or Tetsey in a record? Page 24 of Boswell's LIFE OF JOHNSON gives as "provincially used as a contraction for Elizabeth". A Welsh friend says Betha is another.

Boswell's TOUR OF THE HEBRIDES uses as a feminine name Christian, in some records here the name incorrectly changed to Christene. See Burke's LANDED GENTRY. *Pg. 276 of the TOUR, name of Finvoll is given and in parenthesis is (it should be Finvola, which they say is the same as Flora.).

Mr. William E. Lind of the National Archives has found among Slavic people Leib is Louis. A friend here has encountered Motlena as a contraction of Mary Magdalena, Minnie for Wilhelmina and Minerva, and Tempe for Temperance.

Articles on this subject are found in the American Genealogist, Vol. 34, April 1958 and in Kentucky Ancestors, January 1972. If you have such a puzzle with more than one name to indicate one individual, please tell us.

*Volume 4, 1868.

...ADAMS FAMILY WILL CELEBRATE 38TH REUNION..

ON SEPTEMBER 24, 1972, THE JOHN & NANCY ADAMS AND ROBERT & MARGARET RUDD ADAMS FAMILIES WILL GATHER FOR THEIR 38TH REUNION AT MOUNT ZION BAPTIST CHURCH, TALBOTTON, TALBOT COUNTY GEORGIA.

The first reunions were at the John and Olive Adams Home. Attendance grew, a larger place to meet was necessary so the Church was selected.

John & Nancy Adams, and Susan Adams, mother of John, had previously donated the property for the church and school. Mount Zion Church was organized in 1836. The aforesaid persons being Charter Members. On Jan. 25, 1837, a Building Committee was appointed, they were, W. Mizell, T. C. Weekly, J. W. Harrison and Pastor Z. W. Gorden.

The 1971 Reunion was one of the greatest with over 250 relatives and friends enjoying a 'basket lunch'.

Chairman for 1972 is J. Frederick Johnson, Jr., of Birmingham, Alabama. He is a great-great-great grandson of both Adams couples, in whose honor these reunions are held.

Mrs. J. Fred Johnson (Flora Adams) is the Historian, and contributor of this information. She invites you to write for additional information...or 'join us'. Her address: Rt.#1, Bx 231, Shore Acres Rd., Soddy, Tenn., 37379.

Marriage Index

ADAMS	SPOUSE	COUNTY & STATE	DATE
H.	TAYLOR Mahala,	Clark In.	8 Mar 1837
Allen	MULLINS Jenny,	Pike Ky. 4:160....	1861
Alley	CARTER Hansford,	Scott Va.	1886
Almeda	DAWSON George,	McLean Il.	24 Feb 1848
Andrew	RAINS Elizab.,	Christian Mo.	30 Mar 1873
Ann	WILKS William,	Culpeper Va	9 Dec 1794
Anna	HOWARD Harvey,	Pike Ky. 9:144....	1876
Archibald	ARNOLD Elizab,	Clark In.	4 Aug 1838
Arriminta	DAWSON John,	McLean Il.	25 Feb 1845
Barbary	HALE James,	Scott Va.	1 Jan 1853
Calvin	PATTON Jemima,	McLean Il.	24 Dec 1839
Calvin	CUNNINGHAM Emerine	McLean Il.	17 Apr 1849
Caroline	GRAHAM, Wm.G.,	Clark In.	2 Sep 1843
Charles	PEARSON Julia,	Scott Va. 2:2	1855
Charles	CLIFTON Nancy,	" 2:44	1874
Cornelia	BURTON Malichi,	Christian Mo.	1 Dec 1865
Claudia	TOUTS Thos.D.,	Clark In.	29 Sep 1849
Daniel	MOODY Mary,	Christian Mo.	24 Dec 1874
Dilaina	CROSS Joseph,	Pike Ky. 12:79	1881
Dianner	RAINS James,	Christian Mo.	22 Jun 1865
Edmond	SAVAGE Elizab.,	McLean Il.	20 Oct 1841
Edmund	LEBO Adaline,	McLean Il.	26 Jul 1843
Edmund	BELL Mary J.,	"	8 May 1845
Elias H.	BROCK Lucinda,	"	22 Jan 1850
Eliza	DAVIS Middleton,	Clark In.	3 Mar 1834
Eliza A.	NICHOLSON Thos,	"	13 Jan 1842
Eliza A.	BOWMAN Milo,	"	28 Oct 1828
Eliza A.	RHODES James,	McLean Il.	28 Sep 1837
Elizabeth,	MASSIE Lewis,	Culpeper Va.	14 Feb 1822
Elizabeth,	COMPTON Walker,	"	16 Feb 1798
Elizabeth,	HUGHES Anthony,	"	20 Feb 1799
Elizabeth,	SMALLWOOD Benj.	Pike Ky.	1881
Elizabeth	BOATRIGHT James,	Scott Va.	20 Mar 1853
Elizabeth	GILLAM Wm.,	Scott Va.	2 Jul 1821
Elizabeth	WATSON, Francis		19 Dec 1820
Elizabeth	MCCLOUD Wm.	Benton Mo.	10 Dec 1854
Elizabeth	ZEIGLEN Geo.W.,	Christian Mo.	5 Jul 1868
Elizabeth	MOODY John,	"	13 Mar 1873
Elizab.J.	LATHROP Harriam	"	7 Feb 1868
Elizabeth	MCCLURE Wm.,	McLean Il.	27 Mar 1850
Elizabeth	SAMS Edmund,	"	9 Oct 1853
Elizabeth	HENRY Wm.,	"	9 Apr 1840
Ely	BAIN Susan,	Christian Mo	18 Mar 1868
Emaline	RAMEY, John,	Scott Va. 2:46	1875
Emaline	LANEY Robert,	" 2:31	1869
Ephriam	MOORE Mary,	Culpeper Va.	20Jan 1820
Ervin	DOWNS Sally,	Benton Mo.	21 Jun 1854
Ezekial	KEER Emma,	Scott Va. 2:39	1872
George	BOATRIGHT Elizab.	" 2:22	1866
George	TYLER Lottie,	" 2:16	1863
George	PEARSON Elizab,	" 2:17	1864
Geo.Jeff.	ADAMS Dianer,	Pike Ky.7:412	1873
Gilbert	COOPER America,	Morgan Ky.	1 Dec 1841
Henry	MANNIN Martha,	"	6 Oct 1881
Ibby	POE Henry,	Scott Va. 1:94	Apr 1847
Isaac	WALDECK Sarah,	Morgan Ky.	21 Jul 1859
Isaac	DEAN Evaline,	Christian Mo.	11 Aug 186
			11 Aug 1864
James	KILBY Missouri,	Culpeper Va.	2 Jan 1843
James	HAWKINS Charity,	Clark In.	24 Mar 1840
James	DAVIS Emily,	"	3 Feb 1840
James M.	MCCLINTOCK Matilda,	"	9 Dec 1835
James F.	PRUNTY Sarah,	Christian Mo	25 Nov 1869
James	GEORGE Sarah,	"	28 Feb 1872
James	FOSTER Margaret,	McLean Il.	9 Feb 1847

James HAND Lucinda, " 3 Jun 1841
Jane CLARK Josiah, Culpeper Va 13 Dec 1798
Jane MOORE Anthony, " 29 Sep 1799
Jane NICHEL, Thos., Christian Mo. 25 Mar 1866
Jasper N., GOLD Elizab.,Stone Mo. 30 Jan 1873
Jeremiah ROBERSON Elizab, McLean Il. 26 Jan 1845
Jesse MAYBERRY Barbary, McLean" 9 Feb 1843
John CALVERT Margt.,Culpeper Va17 Apr 1794
John Q. KILBY Louise, " 23 Dec 1843
John Q. TREADWAY Caroline.Scott Va.2:43 1873
John C. FRANCISCO Elizab,Scott Va. 2:17 1864
John N. BRADLEY E.J.,Christian Mo.23 Jan 1868
Joseph SILLIVAN Keziah, Clark In. 5 Sep 1815
Joseph RAPP Margt., McLean Il. 27 Jul 1848
L.C. REED Cynthia, Morgan Ky. 29 May 1873
Landor WILLIAMS Elizab Scott,Va. 2:2 1854
Lavina PENLEY John, " 1:119 1850
Lenard MEYERS Alfredine, Christian Mo. 14 Aug 1870
Lidia SHELTON Vincent, Clark In.27 Feb 1824
Lovice CHANEY Mark, Pike Ky. 2:32 1837
Lucinda JEANS James, Benton Mo. 26 Feb 1857
Margaret CURRY Andrew, Scott Va. 2:21 1866
Maria HORNBRICK ? Nimrod, Culpeper Va. 16 Jun 1816
Martha KILBY Henry, " 22 Jan 1866
Martha GRANT Marcuis, Christian Mo. 23 Nov 1873
Martha JOHNSON Jas., Scott Va. 2:63 1880
Martin WRIGHT Clarrisa, Pike Ky. 11:179 1880
Mary STANFORD Alex, Culpeper Va. 13 Jul 1803
Mary PETERSON John, Scott Va. 2:16 1863
Mary JONES Joel, Christian Mo. 13 Aug 1874
Mary E. BALDWIN Jacob, Scott Va. 2:23 1866
Mary M. ESTEP Alexander, Scott Va.2:45 1874
Mary S. MARVIN Asa, Henry Mo. 8 Jan 1854
Mary A. CUNNINGHAM Goodwin, Clark In. 8 Jun 1838
Mathew SHADBURN Catherine " 21 Aug 1830
Matilda LOGAN James, Christian Mo.16 Sep 1869
Matthew HENLINE Matilda,McLean Il.14 Jun 1849
Mona A. POTTORFF Collins, Clark In.5 Nov 1829
Moses PATTON Mary, :" 6 Jan 1844
Nancy RHOTON Tivis D.,Scott Va.2:20 1865
Nancy MEAD Elbert, " 2:50 1876
Nancy CAMPBELL Francis,Clark In. 1 May 1839
Nancy BERRY Tyre,Christian Mo. 12 Jun 1866
Nelly BURTON Jacob, Scott Va. 1:24 Sep 1816
Polly LANE Corben, Scott Va. 21 Mar 1824
Polly BROCK Allen, McLean Il. 23 Mar 1837
Priscilla RAY Linsey, Pike Ky. 5:251 1868
Rachel MOSES John, Christian Mo. 13 Feb 186
Rhoda MAY James, Pike Ky. 5:339 1868
Rocksey REDMAN Henry, Scott Va. 2:27 1867
Roxena FARMER James, Christian Mo.19 Dec 187
Ruel COLLIER Elizab.,Scott Va.1:119 1851
Samuel WARD Eliza, Morgan Ky. 26 May 1836
Samuel JUSTICE Rhoda, Pike Ky. 29:169 1881
Samuel TEMPLETON Hannah, Scott Va.2:33 1870
Sarah CALVERT John, Culpeper Va.28 Apr 1799
Sarah RAMEY Wm., Scott Va. 2:59 1879
Sarah GULICK Wm.G., Clark In. 27 Aug 1813
Sarah JONES McCagy, Christian Mo27 Dec 1866
Sarah CLARK Gordin, Pike Ky. 5:495 1870
Solomon MULLINS Dicy, Pike Ky. 5:95 1866
Sophia STINSON Robert, Clark In. 20 Aug 1845
Thomas HUNTON Ann, Culpeper Va. 20 Feb 1799
Thomas MAIDEN Catharine, Christian Mo. 16 Feb 1871
Thomas OCTAREY Jane C., Stone Mo. 1 Nov 1874
Thomas BELL Martha, McLean Il. 9 Mar 1847
Thomas BARE Caroline, Clark In. 31 Dec 1832
Vincent JOHNSON Emly, Christian Mo21 Nov 1867
W. FIELDS M., Scott Va. 1:44 1832
William WHITE Mary, Culpeper Va. 15 Apr 1832
William WHITE Narcissus, " Mar 1829
William WELLS Sarah, Morgan Ky. 4 Jun 1878
William STICKER Susan, Clark In. 7 Nov 1837
William BROWN Elvira,Christian Mo 18 Apr 1869
William DUNCAN Eliz., Scott Va. 2:11 1860
William RHOTAN Elizab., " 2:62 1879
Wyett BISHOP Charity, McLean Il.25 Mar 1847

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Benjamin	Orange	Sylvester	Pittsylvani
Charles	Prince Wm.	Thomas	Caroline
David	Amelia	Thomas	Augusta
David	Mecklenburg	Thomas	Essex
Elizabeth	King William	Thomas	Henry
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Gawen	Prince Wm.	Thomas	Louisa
George	Dinwiddie	William	Fairfax
George	Fauquier	William	Fluvanna
George	Goochland (Jolley Parrish assignee	William	Fluvanna (Commissary
		William	Fluvanna (Cert.issue
George	Louisa		
James	Bedford	William	Frederick
James	Charlotte	William	Henry
		Wilson	Louisa

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ABRAHAM	Probate No.	192	31 May 1773
ABRAHAM		194	6 May 1801
ARCHELAUS		196	27 Sep 1753
BENJAMIN		201	16 Apr 1811
DANIEL		205	30 May 1775
DAVID		209(7)	10 Jun 1751
HANNAH		227	29 Oct 1733
ISRAEL		236	8 May 1799
JOHN		243	24 Mar 1718
JOHN		246	4 May 1750
JOHN		254	6 Sep 1811
JONAS		260	16 May 1757
JOSEPH		264	28 Jun 1790
MATHEW		280	8 Dec 1755
MOSES		282	9 Nov 1796
NEHEMIAH		289	16 Oct 1752
RICHARD		295	21 Nov 1778
ROBERT		299	25 Apr 1769
ROBERT		300	31 Mar 1773
ROBERT		303	26 Sep 1785
SAMUEL		308	31 Aug 1747
SAMUEL		312	6 Jun 1797
SARAH		318	12 Jul 1786
SIMON		324	23 Dec 1723
THOMAS		332	23 Nov 1729
THOMAS		333	25 Mar 1765
THOMAS		334	6 Apr 1790
WILLIAM		340	24 Mar 1766

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MICHAEL ADAMS, b. Dublin, Ire., 1829, d. Feb. 5, 1880 near Villisca, Ia., where he farmed. Supposed to have come to America as a stow-a-way, hunting a bro. Who? MICHAEL marr. INDI ANN DAVIS, 27 Jan. 1873, Henry Co. Ia. They had: CHARLES D., WILLIAM C., JOHN C. (Jace) and FRANCIS M. MICHAEL in 1870 Henry Co., Ia., census as farm hand. Enlisted 1864 Camp Chase, Columbus, Oh. Served as pvt. Co. B., 88th Reg., Oh. Inf. Would like more info and will share. Mrs. Helen L. Bender, 3144 Y St., Lincoln, Nebr. 68503

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STEPHEN ADAMS in 1811 had "orphan children": NANCY, ELIZABETH and LOUISA b. 1805 Mathews Co. Va.,. Need name of his wife. STEPHEN s. of ZACHARIAH ADAMS, b. 1774, Kingston Parish, Matthews (Gloster) Co. Va. WHAT BECAME OF NANCY? ELIZABETH m. EDWARD THOMAS in 1822, LOUISA m. CYRIL FOSTER 1825. ZACHARIAH was b. 1750, m. ANN (NANCY) RIPLEY in 1771, Kingston Parish Register. Preparing 18 yrs. research...need immediate help. Mrs. Wm. M. Nelson, 214 Grand Ave., Yazoo City, Ms. 39194

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There was a WILLIAM ADAMS born in Lincolnville, Mr. in 1817. I would like to get info about "any" WILLIAM ADAMS from that area between August 1811 and Oct. 1818. Would like info on JACOB SMITH ADAMS who had a son named WILLIAM, too. Need par. of WILLIAM who lived Isleboro, Me. Write, Shirley A. Lamprecht at 494 Sara Ann Ct., Linwood, N.J. 08221

ADAMS, BETSY ALMIRA, b. Fredricksburg, U. C., (Ontario) 1815, m. Rev. THOMAS HURLBURT ca 1832, d. Toronto, Ont. 1862; dau of Rev. EZRA ADAMS [b. 1788 Cambridge, d. Drayton Ont. 1871, m. ISA PROCTOR in 1814 (dau. of HENRY PROCTOR)]. EZRA was s. of ELIPHALET ADAMS [b. Suffield 1756, d. Ont. 1832, m. PATIENCE RICE (dau. of PHINEAS RICE)]. Interested in ancestry of PROCTOR & RICE. Need further info on Adams lines. G. R. Hurlburt, 1519 W. Princeton Ave., Stockton, Ca. 95204

ABSALOM ADAMS, b. (?) Va. ca 1770., m. SARAH COMPTON bef. 1790 when 1st s. was b. Mov. to Ky. (Harrison Co. ?) bef 1795 & to Putnam Co Ind. by 1829. Son JOHN B. ADAMS, b. Va., m. DIADAMA MOORE 1830 Putnam Co. Ind.,thence to Monroe Co. Ia. where their dau MARY m. JOHN HURLBURT. Will share findings. G.R. Hurlburt, 1519 W. Princeton Ave., Stockton, Cal. 95204

If there are any progeny of one JAMES ADAMS, born in northern Va. or Md. bef. 1800, marr. ABIGAIL & had: WILLIAM H. (1815-1869), DANIEL (1819-89), RACHAEL (1821-1900), ARMSTEAD (b?d?), [there may have been more] within the reach of Adams Addenda we would like to hear from them regarding family history. I am a first cous., 3x removed, of WILLIAM H. ADAMS. Andrew White, PO Box 3003, Flint, Mich. 48502

CHARLEY ADAMS, railroad employee, liv. with WM. C. WEIDNER in Lewis Co. Mo., d. 1918 in Great Bend, Kn., Wife, IDA. What was his relationship with WEIDNER, WEISER, SCHNEIDER families? Mrs. Frank Pohlemann, Route 3, Box 84, Anadarko, Ok. 73005

My line of descent: GEORGE & CATHERINE ADAMS, WILLIAM ADAMS (1734 m. SUZANNA MARTIN), JONATHAN ADAMS (1763, m. ANN BROWN), EBENEZER ADAMS (1795, wife REBECCA DAVIS), JOEL ADAMS (1828, m. ASENATH BOND), PRESTON ADAMS (m. HANNAH THOMAS), ERASTUS ADAMS(1886 m. IDA LEE POTTER). Need data on all before PRESTON ADAMS. Write Howard R. Adams, 7370 S. W. 90th, Portland, Or. 97223

Need parents of JOHN B. ADAMS, b. 16 June 1815 in Rensselaer Co. N.Y., d. 1881 Menomanie, Wisc. m. LYDIA A. CLEVELAND. Also desire sibling and data. Elmer M. Adams, 15735 N. E. Broadway, Portland, Or. 97230

BRYAN(T) ADAMS in Rev. War from N.C. & S.C. Mov. from NC to Montgomery Co. Ga. 1830; returned to NC bef. 1840. Need names of desc. & data. Also need Will and parents. Is he desc. of Mass. ADAMS family?? Miss Josie Baird, Rotan, Texas 79546

WILLIAM FRANKLIN BROWNEN m. MARY FRANCES ADAMS..when? where? She was b. June 1854,Tarrant, Tx., Ch. b. Shackleford Co. Tx. Mov. to Caddo Co., Okla. Need her par. and all BROWNEN info. Mrs. Novelyn Merriam, 14606 Lake Rd., Hickman, Ca. 95323

Who was CATHERINE E. ADAMS, b. ca 1825" She marr. WILLIAM CLARKE RICHARDSON & liv. in St. Louis County, Mo. Mrs. Cloyd F. O'Hern, 3126 18th Ave.,. Rock Island, Ill. 61202

Who were parents of EPHRAIM NATHANIEL ADAMS? Born 1787 Md.? Was his 1st w. a FOSTER? The ch. were: MALINDA (b. 1808, m. MATTHIAS HATTER), ELI HENRY (1810, Adams Co. Oh., m. REBECCA --), EMILY (1815, m. RICHARD H. SWAIN, Warren Co. In.), WILLIAM W. (1812, m. JANE BRADY, Warren Co. Ind.). Wife #1 d. ca 1814 #2. LYDIA LANDAS, m. 24 May 1815,Highland Co. Oh. They had 8 ch: MARY (m. CHARLES W. BELL in Warren Co. In. Where did EPHRAIM die? LYDIA re-m. 1836, JONATHAN HARRISON in Highland Co. Oh., mov. to Washington Co., Ia. ca 1842 with most ADAMS ch. They are bur. Kalona, Ia.,. Mrs. Harold Patterson, 1812 Schreiber, Cedar Falls, Iowa. 50613.

DAVID ADAMS, JR. b. ca 1730-5, resided in mid 1700's in The Waxhaws, S.C. m. ELEANOR(NELLIE) & had 3 ch:
DAVID JR. b. 25 Sep. 1759, m. PHOEBE YELDELL
SARAH, b. 22 Apr. 1762, m. a cous. DAVID ADAM (they had a son, ALIE)
JOHN, b. 5 Dec. --, killed in Rev. War.
WHO WAS ELEANOR(NELLIE)? Who was the DAVID ADAMS who m. cous. SARAH ADAMS? DAVID, SARAH and ALIE mov. to Ga., What county? In the 1840's DAVID & son ALIE visited relatives in Henry Co. Ga., The relative who recorded the visit wrote that 'they were the two oldest men he had ever seen'. Have much info on family of DAVID ADAMS JR. which I will share. DAVID ADAMS III, 2500 Canterbury Rd., Birmingham, Ala. 35223

Desc. of "SAMUEL C. ADAMS" (d. 1884 Henderson Co. Tx.), JAMES ADAMS (d. 1835 Jones Co. Ga.) and GEORGE ADAMS (d. 1808 Newberry Co. S.C.), please get in touch with Ida Reeves Robison, 2401 Terrace, Midland, Tx. 79701

Will any desc. of CHARLES ADAM(S) make known his or her address? Son of BERNHARD ADAM, pioneer Washington Twp., Northumberland Co., Pa.; grandson of ANTHONY ADAM, Albany Twp., Berks Co., Pa., from Hesse 1741. CHARLES liv GERMANTOWN, Pa. 1790 census. Write: Lisle Lester, Box 67, Mahomet, Il. 61853

[ADAMS ADDENDA WISHES TO THANK MR. LESTER FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS. MR. LESTER SENDS A COPY OF EACH LETTER RECEIVED (AND WRITTEN) BY HIM. WE HAVE A NICE FAT FILE (WE HAVE INDEXED) BECAUSE OF HIS GENEROSITY & WILLINGNESS TO HELP ADAMS GENEALOGIST IN PARTICULAR.]

The Augusta, Ga. Chronicle and Gazette, Feb. 23, 1793, published this death notice:
Died on the 5th instant, in the Waxhaws, Lancaster Co. S.C., MRS. MARGARET ADAMS, age 111 years. Husband, DAVID ADAMS, died 1792, age 114 years.
The same notice was publ. by Charleston, S.C. Gazette, March 19, 1793.
DOES ANYONE KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THIS ANCIENT COUPLE, other than what is given in the death notice? Where were they from? When did they come to Lancaster Co.? Who were their children? I will freely share data on Adams family almost surely descended from this couple --but I have no proof of such descent. Mr. David Adams III, 2500 Canterbury Rd., Birmingham, Ala. 35223.

HELP! HUGH ADAMS, JR. age 20-30 and HUGH ADAMS, SR., age 60-70, are in 1840 Putnam Co. Ind., one following other. Do you have proof these are father and son? Have info on HUGH ADAMS, b. Ky., 1815, died Iowa 1881. Mrs. Charles Gosnell, 1831 Park Ave., S.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 52403

JOHN B. ADAMS was born in Renesselear Co., N. Y., on 16 June 1815. Probably the son of THOMAS ADAMS. He marr. LYDIA ANGALINA CLEVELAND, 21 Nov. 1840. They liv. in Erie Co., Pa., where 4 children were born: ELIZA ANN, TIMOTHY GOODWIN, CORDELIA SUSAN & ASHLEY J. They liv. in Pa., Iowa & Wisc., I would like to hear from any relatives or obtain info about parentage and sibling of JOHN B. All letters will be ans. Elmer Morrow Adams, 15735 N. E. Broadway, Portland, Or. 97230

Can anyone authenticate this family I have reconstructed?
WILLIAM ADAMS, Jones Co., N.C., was administrator, ca 1830, of MICAJAH ADAMS whose heirs were:
JOHN ADAMS (Deed, 9 April 1834)
MICAJAH ADAMS (Deed, 13 Mar. 1831)
WILLIAM ADAMS (Deed, 2 May 1832)**
MARY ADAMS JARMIN (Deed, 16 May 1857)*
MOSES ADAMS (Deed, 13 Mar. 1831)
JAMES ADAMS (Deed, 9 April 1834)
_____ ADAMS JONES, (Deed, 31 Jan. 1835)
JESSE (?)
In each of above deeds a reference is made to the "heir of MICAJAH ADAMS".
* MARY ADAMS JARMIN of Onslow Co., N.C.
** Called WILLIAM ADAMS of Georgia.
JOHN ADAMS, b. 1788, m. RHODA JOHNSON & moved to Johnson Co. Tenn. ca 1830. Please help!!! My ancestor hunt has been a forest of trees & I can't get my limbs on the right one. Mrs. Beatrice Hendrix, 1830 Kenwood Rd., Kingsport, Tn. 37664

ANNE ADAMS, marr. 1754 Abington, Conn., JAMES GROW (1727--1799). JAMES res. Pomfret, Monson & Tolland, Cn., & Norwich, Vt. ANNE ADAMS died 1813 in Greensboro, Vt. Need her birthdate & place, and ancestry. Mrs. Beverly Harrises, 303 Linden St., Manchester, N. H. 03104

I need parents & sibling of HUGH ADAMS, b. 27 Feb. 1815, d. 27 Mar. 1881, Appanoose Co., Iowa. Marr. #1. LUCINDA JONES, #2. MALINDA JONES in Putnam Co. Ind.,. Is father of ALLEN ANCEL & ISAAC WISEMAN DENMAN ADAMS. Mrs. Bud Lorenz, Star Rt.,Bx. 101, Monahans, Tx. 79756

Info on family of ELIZABETH ADAMS, dau. of GEORGE & POLLY NEWLAND ADAMS. She m. GEORGE GRAVES, 1829, Hardeman Co., Tn. Looking for book "ADAMS FAMILY OF VA. & TN.," by HIRAM MORGAN ADAMS of Miss. [Addenda would like the privilege of photo-copying said book.]... Mrs. Overton Ganong, 3612 Santiago St., . Tampa, Fla. 33609

Where and when did ASA C. ADAMS live in Mass? Need parents. M. HANNAH CORNISH,--where and when? Was a tanner in Lee Center, Oneida Co. N.Y. Is he a cousin of JOHN Q? Mrs. Joyce Hamilton, Rt. 1, Bx 4440, Sutherlin, Or.97479

Info needed on ELIZABETH DELORES RHEA who m. JASON HAMILTON ADAMS in Greene Co., Tn., 15 Sept. 1872. Was her father JASON RHEA of Washington Co. Tn., or N.C.? Mr. Howard Ross, Sr., Bx. 303, Boissevain, Va. 24606

JOHN ADAMS m. RUTH MCDILDA (Mountain City) Johnson Co., Tn., 5 Feb. 1844. Was she the mother, step-mother, or sis. of JOHN MCDILDA, JR. who was b. in Johnson Co. Tn., in 1836? Was she Cherokee Indian? Howard Ross, Sr., Box 303, Boissevain, Va. 24606

THOMAS ADAMS b. 1818 in Ky., need parents and birthplace, m. CYNTHIA CALHOUN (b.1818, In.) liv. Carroll Co. Ky. 1845; Ohio Co. In. 1850-60; Cumberland Co. Il., 1870. Died there in 1879. Ralph LeRoy Storm, 802 S. Main St., Paris, Il. 61944

Family tradition: Two brothers (?) and JOHN MCADAM emigrated from British Isles to Mass., stayed there for a while and changed name to ADAMS. (?)ADAMS, father of SAMUEL, born 15 Jan. 1800, died of yellow fever as a pioneer in Mississippi Territory, ca 1803-11. The orphan, SAMUEL, b. 15 Jan 1800(per tombstone) was taken to Pittsylvania Co. Va. by WILSON VADEN and grew up there. SAMUEL was bound out to learn a trade in 1811 (Pittsylvania Court Records) with no indication to whom, or where. Lt. Col. Gordon S. Adams, USAF Ret., 1247 Balboa Ct., Sunnyvale, Cal. 94086

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IVESON GRAVES ADAMS, b. 1814 to JAMES & ELIZA COVINGTON ADAMS. JAMES from Mass. to Richmond, Va. thence to Miss. Need spouse of IVESON & par. of JAMES. Nell Haveman, 5933 Daisy Ave., Twentynine Palms, Ca. 92277

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SARAH ADAMS (1799--1871), m. JAMES MOORE in 1820. Liv. Charles Co., Md., Tradition is her fa was BENJAMIN ADAMS & her mo ELIZABETH SMALLWOOD. Proof needed of her parentage. Col. Louis E. Hicks, (Ret.), 407 S. Church St., Monroe, N.C. 28110

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ELIZABETH ADAMS, m. DAVID UTZ 1824. Her fa. JOHN moved from Culpeper Co. Va. ca 1817 to Boone Co. Ky. with ABRAHAM UTZ fa. of David. Who was this JOHN ADAMS? Mrs. Henry K. Campbell, 34 Beechwood Rd., Ft. Mitchell, Ky. 41017

Will purchase or exchange info on par. & bp. of JACOB ADAMS, b. 1747 in Mass. d. 7 Aug. 1853 in Bedford Co., Pa. m. CLARISSA DUSTIMER (sic), in 1786. Write Josephine Lecompte, 3822 Maplewood, Dallas, Tx. 75205

If you meet somebody without a smile, give him yours.

THE JOURNEY OF TIMOTHY GOODWIN ADAMS & FAMILY TO COLORADO IN 1887

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Mr. and Mrs. Adams, their six children and Mr. Adams's mother, LYDIA ANGELINE CLEVELAND ADAMS, started their journey to Colorado. About 1885, Mrs. ELIZEANNE STEVENS and her husband had previously settled in Colorado near Cheyenne Wells. Mrs. Stevens was a sister of TIMOTHY ADAMS. Crops were good since they had had plenty of rain and they encouraged Timothy to make the move west.

About noon, August 18, 1887, the Adams family left their four room log home which consisted of two rooms downstairs and two up. It was located about ten miles west of Menomonie, Wisconsin, on the north side of the Old Hudson Road. The stable and hay shed were on the south side of the road.

Timothy Adams had one new wagon which was drawn by four oxen. Duke and Diamond were one team and the other was Buck and Bright. These oxen were driven by Mr. Adams and son Arthur Eugene. The other team, driven by another son, Nathan Parker Adams, had been given Timothy by his grandfather, JOHN B. ADAMS. In addition to these six oxen were two cows and three other cattle.

The other children were: Jennie Effie, Elmer William, Ernest John and the baby, not quite one year old, Cora Maria. Mrs. Adams was the former ELIZA (LYDE) JERUSIA LAUGHLIN.

The traveling party journeyed about seven miles the first afternoon. Several friends and relatives camped with them that first night. Those who can be remembered by the older ones are: Mr. and Mrs. Jud (real name ASHLEY) ADAMS

ASHLEY ADAMS, brother to Timothy) ADAMS; Mrs. CORDELIA SMITH (sister of Timothy) and her two children, Willie and Etta; Mrs. BRENTS, (Sister of Mrs. Jud Adams) and her little boy and a friend BILL THUMB. Mr. Adamses mother, or Grandma Adams as she was known, took her feather bed along in one of the wagons.

The family traveled about ten miles per day. They journeyed west and ferried across the St. Croix and Mississippi Rivers into Minnesota through the Blooming Prairie, stopping at the town of Austin for a week or more. While here Mrs. Adams, Ernest and Cora boarded a train to Osage, Iowa to visit her folks, Mr. and Mrs. LEWIS LAUGHLIN. Mrs. Adams' brother, JIM LAUGHLIN, came and stayed with the family for a week or so. The younger children had the whooping cough at this time.

At one campsite in Minnesota was a lake, a boat and fish in abundance. Some of the fish were quite large. Ernest, about eight years old, getting the bright idea of going fishing alone, clambered into a boat and shoved off. He soon had a bite from a fish too large for him to handle. He was being pulled further and further from shore when his older brothers heard his frantic screams for help and soon rescued him. Needless to say, he did not try that again.

From Minnesota the faithful oxen plodded into the Pipe Stone Country and the Dakotas. Near Eagan, in Moody County, Mrs. Timothy Adams had two brother living, Willard and Frank

Laughlin. She also had an uncle and cousins there. The family camped here for a month or more while Nathan and Arthur worked at plowing and thrashing grain. Mr. Adams was a mason by trade and worked whenever he could.

From there they traveled south to Yankton, ferried the Missouri River into Nebraska, and on to Columbus. Here they had a happy experience. Noticing a large corn field they inquired if it might be cleaned of stalk for their cattle. To their great surprise it was discovered the owner was GILBERT CLEVELAND, Grandma Adams" very own brother she had not seen or heard of since childhood. The family stayed here for the winter with GEORGE CLEVELAND, a cousin.

During the winter Mr. Adams plastered while the boys did whatever they could. Jennie Adams worked for room and board in Columbus and attended school. Mr. Adams made a trap to catch the prairie chickens. Fish and wild geese were plentiful.

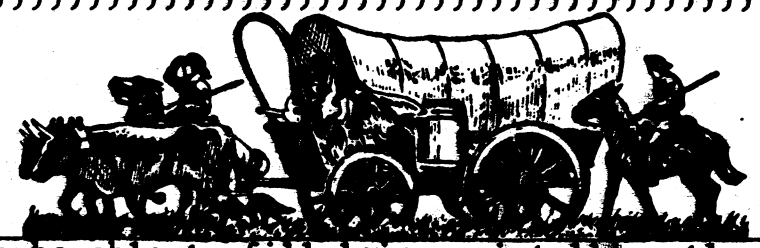
June came. The family continued westward a long the Platte River. A mile out of Arapahoe Mr. Adams Noticed a wagon approaching. The occupant was Mr. Allen, a Chaplain and comrade during the Civil War. For ten days they camped and reminisced about their year together in the Union Army. During this time the family did any thing they could. On the Fourth of July, Nathan and Arthur walked back to Arapahoe to take in the celebration.

The family pet, a little black dog, named Sober, came up missing. Nathan decided to walk back to the last camp to see if he could find him. Needless to say, both were delighted to see each other.

There is no record of the family arriving at Mr. Adams' sister's place. He settled first on Section 8 on the head of Smoky Hill River. Tragedy struck when a bolt of lightning killed all but one or two of the cattle. The boys, Nathan and Arthur in a tent, were bowled over. Arthur stated it felt like something hit him on the back of the head. Nathan was later killed by lightning on July 13, 1903.

JOHN B. ADAMS, father of above, was born 16 June 1815 in Rensselaer Co., New York. On 21 November 1840 he married LYDIA ANGALINA CLEVELAND daughter of GARDNER and LYDIA PARKHURST CLEVELAND. JOHN B. died 12 August 1881 Menomanie, Wisconsin. Their children were:
ELIZA ANN ADAMS, b. 8 Oct. 1841
TIMOTHY GOODWIN ADAMS, b. 12 Dec. 1843-Erie Co.Pa., d. 26 Dec 1935-Colorado Spring, Co., m. 21 Feb 1867-Mitchell Co. Iowa.
CORDELIA SUSAN ADAMS, b. 11 March 1846, Pa.
ASHLEY J. ADAMS, b. 15 Sept. 1849, Erie Co.Pa

JOHN B. ADAMS was the son of THOMAS ADAMS of whom nothing is known by this family historian. May I invite you to write me? I have the Civil War Memoirs of Timothy Goodwin Adams (Copy given Adams Addenda) and additional family data to share. Elmer M. Adams 15735 N.E. Broadway, Portland, Oregon 97230..



"To be able to fill leisure intelligently is the last product of civilization."
--Bertrand Russell

FAMILY GROUP

No. _____ SURNAME _____

Husband's Full Name: JAMES ADAMS			
Vital Date	Day Mo. Year	Town	County	State or Country
Birth				
Christen.				
Marriage				
Death	1837	Jones Co., Ga. Will Dtd 14 Feb. 1837,		
Burial		Cemetery: Probated Nov. 1837		

Father's Full Name: GEORGE ADAMS d. 1808 — Mother's Maiden Name: SARAH (SERAGH)

Other wives: Newberry Co. S.C.

Remarks: Military

Wife's Full Maiden Name: ELIZABETH			
Vital Date	Day Mo. Year	Town	County	State or Country
Birth	ca 1795-99	South Carolina		
Christen.				
Death		Cause: died probably Georgia		
Burial		Cemetery:		

Father's Full Name — Mother's Maiden Name

Other husbands:

Remarks:

(Arrange in order of birth)

CHILDREN

Sex	Full Name	Vital Data	Date	Place
	MIDDLETON	Birth	ca 1812	
		Death		
		Marr.	1 Jan 1834	To: MARY N. DAME, Jones, Ga.
	SARAH (SALLY)	Birth	ca 1815	
		Death		
		Marr.	21 Feb 1839	To: JAMES RITCHEY, Jones, Ga.
	MADISON	Birth	ca 1817	
		Death		
		Marr.		To:
	[see 2] WILLIAM CALHOUN	Birth	4 Sep 1819	S.C. ?
		Death	2 Sep 1899	Coffee, Ala.
		Marr.	ca 1851	To: MARY ANN LESTER
	[see 1] SAMUEL C.	Birth	24 Jan 1822	S.C.
		Death	24 Nov 1884	Henderson, Texas
		Marr.	24 Dec 1846	To: Talbot, Ga. SARAH PIERCE
	STANMORE	Birth	ca 1823	S.C.
		Death		
		Marr.	11 Jan 1849	To: NANCY RICHEY, Jones, Ga.
	MARY (W.?)	Birth	ca 1825	S.C. (?)
		Death		
		Marr.	5 Feb 1846	To: WM. C. HARKINS (?)
	LARKIN	Birth	ca 1826	S.C.
		Death		
		Marr.	24 Jan 1856	To: MARY SUE DANIEL, Marion, Ga.
	ROBERT FRANKLIN	Birth	1831-3	Jones, Ga.
		Death		
		Marr.	11 Nov 1852	To: EMELINE DILLARD, " "

Contributed by IDA REEVES ROBISON, 2401 Terrace, Midland, Tex. 79701
Inquiries and information invited!

CULPEPER COUNTY, VIRGINIA

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WILL of THOMAS ADAMS. Probated Oct. 19, 1804 Wife SARAH. Children: MARY ROGERS, MARGARET MCKENZIE, NANCY WILKS, ABBY ADAMS, SARAH CALVERT, JOHN, THOMAS, MARGERY COLLINS, and grandson RALLS CALVERT

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Will of ROBERT ADAMS. Probated Aug. 27, 1771 leaves all to PETER RUSSELL son of JEREMIAH RUSSELL.

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THOMAS ADAMS, Administrators acct. missing in 1811...

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HENRIETTA ADAMS will. 1813. Lost in Book G.

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JOHN ADAMS will of Dec. 6, 1823. Children: ELIZABETH MASSEY, ELIJAH, MARAH HAMBRICK and grandson JNO. W. MASSEY. Exec: LEWIS MASSEY, JOHN S. GREEN.

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CHARLES ADAMS will, May 17, 1839. Wife NANCY. Children: SALLY, BETSY NEWTON, JANE NEWTON, JOHN, POLLY KINARD, JAMES, NANCY HUME, MARIA SWAIN and children of son EPHRAM ADAMS & dau. ANN CREELS. JTA 1:89/3

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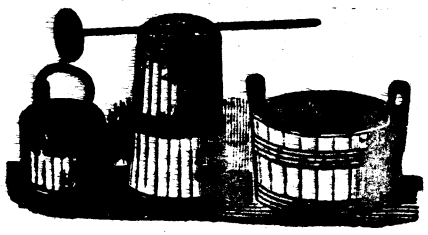

CLOSING REMARKS—

Both Dot and I are very grateful to many of our "Adams Family" for useful material sent us and the many offers of help. The greatest help to all is material sent in. We have previously suggested how valuable to all are the Bible and courthouse records, primary source! If zerox or other copy service is available the material can be error free.

We have not pointed out some simple ways to help us. Please use 8 1/2 X 11 inch paper, one side only. If you leave a good margin at the left, such sheets can be punched for putting in a notebook. Other correspondents may also appreciate this practice.

We are all aware of the courteous inclusion of a stamped return envelope for our genealogical correspondence. A refinement of this practice is use of a # 9 envelope which fits in a # 10 envelope without folding.

Census records on 3X5 cards are most welcome, particularly for 1850. Kind souls have sent us some, it may be well to inquire before you copy. Please put your name on reverse side of a card.

One of our good friends suggested that our address be on first page of each issue as a convenience for you, please use it!

Sincerely yours,

Ruth R. Seibel

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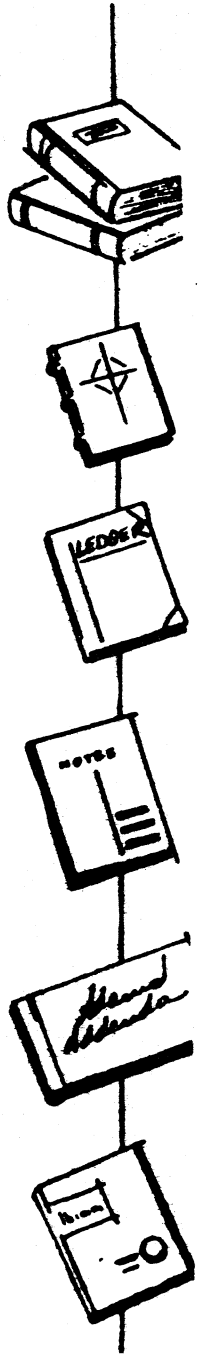
WISHING YOU THE HAPPIEST OF HOLIDAYS AND MAY THE YEAR OF 1973 FIND ALL YOUR GENEALOGICAL GOALS ATTAINED. HAPPY HUNTING! RUTH & DOT



Dear Adams family: This is final issue for the second year. How nice it has been to become acquainted with you, even tho it has to be restricted to correspondence for those of "us" who live away from the St. Louis area.

We have kept financial records for our own satisfaction but good advice given us is that we should ask for payment for your subscriptions within the year service is given. So early in January we shall send to each of you a reminder that we expect to continue and ask your support. Only one reminder!

Our intention is still to index the James Taylor Adams collection that we have on film but that is a very time consuming task and neither of us have had time to do it altho we both spend a great deal of time attending to matters pertaining to the publication of the ADDENDA.

Both of us hope we have been able to provide clues and help for your individual needs. In this issue we are giving the highlights of an inspiring and very informative talk given at a meeting of our local genealogical society. General reference sources are listed and may have to be found in a large library or purchased. These refer to anyone named Adams as much as to other surnames.

A copy of GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH, A Jurisdictional Approach arrived and with it a "flyer" describing publication expected summer 1973 of COMPENDIUM OF AMERICAN HISTORICAL SOURCES, edited by Ronald A. Bremer, stating that this has been in preparation five years by a staff of seven persons. "This monumental work covers the most important sources of information to the genealogist, the archivist, and the historian. Pre-publication price $50.00 per copy."

With our best wishes Ruth & Dot.

A NOTE FROM YOUR EDITORS

ADAMS ADDENDA is published as a genealogical guide only. While our goal in ADAMS ADDENDA is to provide you, our readers, with accurate genealogical information, our information is necessarily dependent for that accuracy upon its sources.

Primary material is used when available and will be so referenced. Secondary source material used will bear the name of the contributor and/or original publishers when known. It is not our intent to violate copyright protection but it is our intent to bring together under one publication all known references pertaining to the surname of Adams.

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Incorporated In Two Volume Work

Lemuel Adams Manuscript Gives Fresh Insight To Early Area Life

Greenville during the Civil War is a topic many local history buffs, teachers, and students continue to find of great interest—especially when something new turns up and is published.

Mother Bickerdyke Historical Collection, a non profit, educational venture based at the Galesburg Public Library, Galesburg, Illinois, has this week reported the imminent national publication of a new two-volume work of Illinois and midwestern history.

Entitled "Voices of the Prairie Land," edited and with narrative by Martin Litvin, the new offering promises to shed new light on many aspects of pioneer life in Southern Illinois.

Greenville comes in for a goodly share of the limelight, according to the report.

Connection Between Greenville And Mother Bickerdyke

Mrs. Mary A Bickerdyke of Galesburg became "Mother" Bickerdyke during the Civil War. In later years, Mother Bickerdyke was the subject of many books, but all were critical failures because nobody could find the famous lady's personal papers.

A Galesburg-born writer, Martin Litvin, then living in New York City, became interested in what he calls "the mystery of Mother Bickerdyke." In the mid-1960s, Litvin started looking for her papers and in May, 1968, discovered the trunk in Montana that contained "the Mother Lode."

Litvin will be writing a new biography of Mother Bickerdyke, starting this year.

In the course of his research, Litvin found in Springfield an old manuscript copy reposing in the Illinois State Historical Library. This was written by Lemuel Adams, a Greenville resident.

Never before published, the Adams manuscript had been in Springfield for several years. Litvin found the copy to be faulty and was directed to check with the daughter of Lemuel Adams.

This lady, now in her late eighties, is Mrs. Mattie A. Hobbs of Bridgeport, Illinois. In her possession was the handwritten original of Lemuel Adams' manuscript.

Litvin wrote to Mrs. Hobbs and explained that the copy in Springfield was poorly and improperly transcribed, that scholars would miss the real importance of her father's writings since they would mistrust a bad copy and would never know what to believe until the original had been studied.

Mrs. Hobbs saw that if Litvin was to do the necessary work, her treasured manuscript would have to travel to New York. This caused a good deal of apprehension, but finally, the Adams manuscript flew east. Litvin received it promptly, made a fresh transcription of a few hundred typed pages, edited it for publication and rushed the original back to Mrs. Hobbs.

Permission to publish was subsequently given by Mrs. Hobbs, for Litvin's edition "Lemuel Adams' Early History." It is this manuscript, with full credit to the original author, which is being brought out now with several other similar items, in "Voices of the Prairie Land."

Mrs. Hobbs And Her Friend, Martin Litvin

How does a lady of advanced years feel about nearly two years of correspondence with a New York writer and historian?

Litvin believes that Mrs. Hobbs feels pretty good about it, for she writes him faithfully, he says. He adds that she "has been very helpful and encouraging. I hope to see her someday and meet her family and taste some of that good food she often writes about."

Lemuel Adams And Mother Bickerdyke

Mr. Adams was among the many residents of Bond county who, early in the Spring of 1861, answered President Lincoln's call for men, to join up and stand for the Union.

Mr. Adams became Lieutenant Adams of the 22d Illinois Infantry Regiment and he was with them all through their early days. At the Battle of Belmont, in Kentucky, the officer was badly wounded. After many tortuous experiences, the desperately-ill man was carried to Cairo, Illinois. There, he was at length given into the care of Dr. Benjamin Woodward, a Galesburg medical man working in the Cairo hospital.

Dr. Woodward assigned his best nurse, Mother Bickerdyke, to do the necessary for Lieutenant Adams.

Adams says that Mother Bickerdyke saved his life, even after Dr. Woodward had pronounced the case hopeless.

Adams also speaks of Mother Bickerdyke's phenomenal memory. He tells of being reunited with her at St. Louis, at a G.A.R. Convention in 1889, and upon identifying himself to her, she recalled details of his illness and case that he himself had long forgotten.

All this is recounted in Adams' brilliant autobiographical narrative.

The Story Of Lemuel Adams

Born in the Ohio Valley around 1830, as his father moved to various locations in Southern Indiana and then across the river into Illinois, the young Lemuel saw and experienced a great deal. What young boy wouldn't?

The searching history buff and student, who wants to read about river life, flat boats, log cabin school houses, Indians and absolute fun, will get ample measure in the Adams manuscript. To boot, there is a vivid portrait of Bond county 'way back when—even modest Pocahontas comes in for a few sharp glimpses.

A reporter in New York asked Litvin recently, to described the different "voices" in the new two-volume work.

About the narrative written by Adams, he said: "It reminds me a little bit of Tom Sawyer or Huckleberry Finn. It has that same freshness and makes you think of early morning in a quiet river backwater, or dogs barking and romping with children or leaves burning in autumn. I really love it."

Litvin also pointed out that the two-volumes contain several other "voices" besides that of Lemuel Adams, and that here was a chance to get hold of new reference material that was also good reading.

Russell Freeburg, former Managing Editor of "The Chicago Tribune" has written the Preface for this new study and describes it as "a most worthwhile book."

Adams was largely self-educated and made his early living as a blacksmith and wagon-maker. Later, he was a public official in Greenville, after which he became a Civil Service employee in the United States Treasury, in Washington.

He composed the memoirs about 25 years after the War ended. Much of his Civil War chapters comprise all that is thus far found to be written and published on the 22d Illinois Infantry.

Litvin is now seeking further documentation on the 22d Illinois Infantry, and hopes that people in the Greenville area, with old diaries, letters, journals or photos will write him in care of the Galesburg Public Library.

"Voices of the Prairie Land," 900 pages in length, with two hundred antique photos, is due around mid-July.

Orders may be sent directly to Bennett's Unlimited, 340 East Main Street, Galesburg, Illinois, 61401, or, if a group of readers in Greenville would be interested in an order in size, it can be forwarded with a request for commensurate discount, via the Bond County Historical Society.

Ann Hubbell, Genealogical Librarian, St. Louis Public Library, passed the preceding newspaper article to us. We first got permission to reprint; second, sent for PENSION FILE; and thirdly, delved into our own file for the following article which had been contributed by Mr. Walborn as it mentions more Adamses than it does Walborn. We felt those of you interested in LEMUEL ADAMS' family would enjoy background information while others might like to see how we employ our references. Ad-Ad

CHRISTIAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS, published 1904 by S. J. Clarke Publishing Company. Contributed by Herman Walborn, 1051 Apple Rd., Saint Paris, Ohio. 43072

EDWARD EWING ADAMS...and ALFRED ADAMS compose the law firm of Adams Brothers. The former settled in this county in 1899 and the latter in 1894. Their family stem is of English origin though planted in American in colonial days. NATHANIEL ADAMS, the great-great-grandfather, was a soldier of the Revolutionary war. The exact place of his birth in not known, but when a young man he was at Baltimore, Maryland, where it is supposed that he married. His wife was RACHEL CHAMBERS and their children were CHARLES, ROBERT, NATHANIEL, JAMES, JOSEPH, JOHN and two daughters. CHARLES was a sea captain, died unmarried at Charleston, S.C., while ROBERT and NATHANIEL settled in Mason County, Ky., and reared their families. The county records show that ROBERT was married March 19, 1796 to RACHEL HULL. JAMES, unmarried, was hurt by a falling tree and never fully recovered. JOSEPH, who was born Jan. 1769 and died Oct. 18, 1844, was first married to BRIDGET CURRAN and afterward to NANCY SMITH, and his death occurred in Madison Co., Ind.,.

JOHN CHAMBERS ADAMS, the great-grandfather of the gentleman whose name introduces this review, was born in Philadelphia in 1777 and followed the occupation of farming. His death occurred in Dallas Co., Iowa, Dec. 16, 1862. He wedded MARTHA WALBURN, who was of Welsh descent was was born in Sussex Co., N.J.,.in 1776, while her death occurred in Urbana, Oh., about 1834. The father of JOHN CHAMBERS ADAMS removed from Philadelphia to Greenbrier county, West Virginia, where he died before 1798 and in that year JOHN CHAMBERS ADAMS removed to Kentucky, stopping first in Mason County, where he had two brothers. In 1800 he took up his abode on a farm four miles west of Springfield, Ohio. It was stipulated that he should receive the paternal estate in West Virginia on condition that he would care for his mother and brother JAMES. They came with him to Ohio, where both died. Some slaves also fell to his lot, which he afterward sold against the wishes of his wife, who held anti-slavery opinions even at that early date and to this she attributed whatever bad luck befell them. Their children were ROBERT., JOHN, SARAH, MARY, RACHEL, REBECCA, HAR-

VEY, WESLEY, NATHANIEL, ISAAC NEWTON, MINERVA, ELIZA and MARTHA. Of these REBECCA died at the age of thirteen and MINERVA at nineteen years, in Springfield, Ohio, but all the others married and had families.

JOHN ADAMS, the grandfather, born in Clark county, Ohio, in 1802, died in Greenville, Illinois, April 15, 1877. His wife, MARY BACON, was born in Angelica, New York, June 3, 1804, and died April 19, 1877, at Greenville, Illinois. For a short time he was a keel-boatman on the Mississippi river but afterward became a cooper. He first resided near Springfield, Ohio, and kept the toll-gate on the pike, while subsequently he lived in Dayton, Ohio, in Tippecanoe county, Indiana, in Alton, Illinois, and then after several other removals settled in Bond county, Illinois, in 1852, there living until his death. His children were: JACKSON, who died in infancy; NELSON, who was born June 8 1827, in Clark county, Ohio; LEMUEL, who was born, April 30, 1831, in Harshmansville, Ohio; SARAH JANE, who was born in the same place in 1833 and died in 1850 at Indianapolis, Indiana; JOHN, who was born April 30, 1835, in West Point, Indiana; WILLIAM born June 5, 1838, in Tippecanoe county, Indiana, and died at Walshville, Illinois, October 21 1865; and HARRISON, born August 29, 1841, at Woodburn, Illinois.

The following is the record of the sons of JOHN ADAMS who had families. NELSON ADAMS, the father of our subject (Edward. E. Adams) has lived in Bond county since 1852. He was married January 20, 1859, to NANCY BUNCH, a daughter of LAMBERT and LOUISA SMITH BUNCH, who was born in Bond county, September 8, 1839, and died there November 11, 1860. He served as a private in Company E., One Hundred and thirtieth Illinois Volunteer Infantry, from August 12, 1862, to June 23, 1865. He was at Memphis, Champion Hills, Vicksburg New Orleans and at other places with his regiment and at Mansfield, during the Red River expedition was taken a prisoner and thus held during the continuance of the war at Tyler, Texas. His brothers, LEMUEL and JOHN, likewise did good service for the government. NELSON ADAMS was married August, 17, 1865, to REBECCA ANN GREEN, a daughter of WILLIAM and JANE BOOTH GREEN. She was born in Mills Township, Bond county, September 14, 1842, and their children are:
CHARLES EMERSON, who was born May 27, 1866, and died January 7, 1881; ALFRED, who was born August 31, 1868; EDWARD E., who was born december 31, 1870; MARY OLIVE, born December 20, 1872; ELLEN JANE, born August 4, 1875, and married ULYSSES COIGNY; CORA MAY, who was born April 3, 1878, and married JOHN H. SMITH; and JAMES FRANCIS, who was born October 29, 1880. All were born in Mills township in Bond county.

LEMUEL ADAMS was married on the 30th of April, 1862, to JULIA ELLEN BIRGE, who was born in Bond county, December 8, 1839, and died January 26, 1874...
Unto LEMUEL and JULIA ELLEN ADAMS were born three children: EMMA, EDGAR and CORA ALICE. LEMUEL ADAMS was again married May 4, 1882, his second union being with Miss ANNA MORRIS of Milton, Indiana, who was born March 16, 1844, a daughter of JOHN and MARTHA CHAPPELL MORRIS...by her marriage she had but child.. MARTHA ELLEN, born May 9, 1885.

WILLIAM ADAMS was married June 16, 1859, to AMANDA KERSHNER, who was born at Hagerstown, Maryland, December 24, 1838, and died in Bates county, Missouri, November 2, 1884. Her parents were JONATHAN and CATHERINE McAHAN KERSHNER and her father was a son of I-

SAAC KERSHNER, early settler of Bond county, Illinois. Unto WILLIAM and AMANDA ADAMS were born the following named: MARY ALICE, the wife of JAMES REED of Cherryvale, Kansas and ELLEN and WILLIAM, who died in infancy.

(Several paragraphs are given to genealogies of GREEN, BOOTH, BACON, BIRGE, and other allied names in the original publication. Further information is given about EDWARD E. ADAMS and ALFRED ADAMS as the original was a biographical sketch dedicated to them. ADAMS ADDENDA, however, uses this material to give a family history for our subject LEMUEL and his sibling. Please bear in mind very few county histories were documented, thus, they cannot be relied upon for accuracy.)

In research of a common surname it is oft-times necessary to delve into records of others in the family. The following article is one man's futile (to date) but interesting attempts.
Collateral lines (those marrying into the family) may also provide needed information. Deeds may supply documentation by merely stating the property formerly was owned by, or adjoined, or the present owner was an heir of, etc.,. Power-of-attorney is also invaluable, but such a grant may appear in a record far removed from original source. Court Orders, Court Minutes, Circuit Court and other-like books (rarely indexed) are essential to research in depth.
The most important Will Books, Administrators, and Bible records are unparalleled in value but such are not always to be had. The real family sleuth will enjoy Mr. Cappers diligent search and perhaps send him a clue or a word of encouragement. Ye Editors.

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JUST "WHO" IS THOMAS B. ADAMS?

by

Elmer O. Cappers

In my studies, it became obvious that there were serious gaps and at the same time there were tantalizing bits of information which might lead to the bridges over the gaps.

For example, my great grandfather, THOMAS B. ADAMS, had a brother, STURGIS, and a nephew, BARTLIT (BARTLETT). These names indicate a connection with other families, and it seemed wise to turn research in that direction. My efforts will be described below and will show my lack of success to date. Another though was that study of my great grandfa

thought was that study of my great grandfather's nephew, ALONZO, might be rewarding because he was a somewhat public figure. While my studies developed much about him, they did not tell me who his grandfather Adams, my great great grandfather, might be. I shall also furnish my resulting information about him as this writing progresses.

1. First, and this is in reverse order of the usual genealogical report, my Mother was HARRIET SOPHIA ADAMS who was given the first name of each of her grandmothers. She was born in Calais, Maine, on Dec. 14, 1878 and married FRANK W. CAPPERS in Boston, Mass. on June 14, 1900. Her brothers and sisters: CLIFFORD LLOYD(1873), GEORGIE LOUISE (1876), MARCIA MINERVA (1882), ROSCOE CALVIN (1885), JUDSON HUGHES (1889), A memorandum left by CLIFFORD put me in search of ALONZO'S record; in the memo he speaks of him as 'cousin' but they were not first cousins. ROSCOE'S daughter, ALICE ADAMS KOCH of Auburn, Washington, has done research on the Adams

line and we have exchanged our discoveries.

2. THOMAS CALVIN ADAMS was the father of HARRIET S. ADAMS. He was born in St. Andrews, N. B., on March 12, 1847. He married HELEN LOUISE HUGGINS. He died in Boston, Mass., on May 10, 1920. He had two sisters, FRANCES ADAMS BALCOM and EMMA ADAMS HOLMES. Frances died without issue. Emma left several daughters and an unmarried son. She is buried in Eastport, Maine.

3. THOMAS B. ADAMS was the father of THOMAS CALVIN ADAMS. He was born in Deer Island, N. B., in 1814. He married HARRIET C. LLOYD and died in Eastport, Me., on Dec. 16, 1882. His brothers and sisters were: FREDERICK (1808), JAMES J. (1812), CAROLINE "CADDY" (1818), SARAH (1824) and STURGIS (1828). I have been unable to find the record of their father.
The fact his brother, FREDERICK, named a son "THOMAS BENJAMIN" gives a strong presumption the Captain's middle name was BENJAMIN.
The census of 1880 for Eastport, Me., shows Captain THOMAS B. ADAMS, Master Mariner; parents: father born in Conn., mother born in N. B. In the same 1880 census, CAROLINE and STURGIS report their father was born in Connecticut.
CAPTAIN THOMAS B. ADAMS married HARRIET LLOYD who, I think was first cousin to FRANCES LLOYD GARRISON, mother of WILLIAM LLOYD GARRISON. I have not proved this.
According to Mrs. Koch, Capt. Adams was listed in the 1850 census of San Francisco.

My mother says he circumnavigated the globe three times. We have a small cabinet which he brought back from China.

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FREDERIC(K) ADAMS, born Bangor, Me., 3 April 1808, died Deer Island, N.B., 1 Feb. 1895. I have examined records in the Bangor Library, and there is no entry to confirm his birth. In fact, there are very few entries for that period.
Mrs. Hartley P. Mairs, 133 Water St., Oakland Me., is descended from a stepson of FREDERIC ADAMS. She sent me a transcript of their Family Bible which follows:

FREDERIC ADAMS, born 3 April 1808
MARY ANN BARNES, born 10 April 1809
MARY ANN BARNES married THOMAS WALTON on 17 Dec. 1824.
ROBERT WALTON, born 29 Aug. 1825
ELIZABETH ANN WALTON, born 23 Apr. 1827
THOMAS WALTON drowned 12 Nov. 1828
FREDERIC ADAMS married MARY ANN WALTON, 6 Oct. 1829
STEPHEN ADAMS born 16 Sept. 1830
MARY JANE ADAMS born 4 Oct. 1832
STERGIS (sic) ALFORD ADAMS, born 28 May 1834
THOMAS BENJAMIN ADAMS, born 19 Feb. 1836
ALONZO ADAMS, born 8 March 1838
AUGUSTA ADAMS, born 24 Jan. 1842
BARTLIT (sic) ADAMS, born 24 June 1844
GEORGE ADAMS, born 14 Sept. 1846
WILLIAM EDWARD ADAMS, born 18 Aug. 1849
GEORGE ADAMS died 1 Sept. 1850

Another record in the FREDERIC ADAMS family has the same list according to info given by Mrs. Arthur Cameron of Sterling, Mass., through her cousin, Mrs. Betty Haney of Welshpool, Campobello, N. B. The dates agree with following additions:

STEPHEN ADAMS, died 1 Oct. 1918
ALFRED T. ADAMS, died 16 June 1880
AUGUSTA ADAMS, died 20 April 1920
BARTLIT ADAMS, died 17 Sept. 1876
GEORGE H. ADAMS, died 1 Sept. 1850
WILLIAM E. ADAMS, died 3 Nov. 1920

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JAMES J. ADAMS(1812-1895) marr. JUNE SMITH. He is buried on Deer Island, N. B. They had ROBERT S., JOHN FOSTER, CHARLES HENRY, LORENZO O., IDA G., CAROLINE M., HARRIET M., ELIZABETH J., JOSEPHINE M., and OLIVER W.

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CAROLINE M. ADAMS, (1818-), "Aunt Caddy, (my mother, Harriet Adams Cappers says) "was the first woman to be operated on for cataracts in Massachusetts General Hospital. She married ROBERT BUNTIN of Prince Edward Island. They had no issue but adopted a girl named FANNY.

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SARAH (1824-) never married. The name appears with frequency in many Adams family lists I have seen.

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STURGIS (1828-1909) married JANE FOSTER, but left no issue. In 1880, Calais, Me., census as a joiner or carpenter.
As already noted, the name STURGIS seemed unusual enough to warrant further study. I found no mention of it in any of the genealogies examined at the New England Historic & Genealogical Society. In the obituary record at the City Hall of Calais, Me., discovered by Mrs. Koch, it is stated that he was the son of STURGIS ADAMS. From his statement to the census taker of 1880, it would appear his father was born in Conn.,. However, the Eastport or Calais "Sturgis" does not seem to have been called "Junior". The name belongs in the family, without question as FREDERIC name a son "STERGIS".

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In the ADAMS ADDENDA 1972 Vol.II, No.1, appeared a query from Mrs. Walsh of Cranbury, N.J., asking for info of several petitioners who were Loyalists seeking an allotment of 2000 acres on Rushagonis Stream in Sunbury Co., N.B. There is a town called Rusagonis, near Fredericton. Their names were JONATHAN ADAMS, JOHN STURGIS and THOMAS ADAMS. The appearance of the names STURGIS and THOMAS were of interest, and I wrote Mrs. Walsh to see if she had found an index to such petitions. She answered there were additional listings. Among those for 1803 were STURGIS ADAMS and THOMAS ADAMS. She also said that in Lincoln Cemetery in Sunbury Co., N.B. there is a tombstone of STURGIS ADAMS (1797-died 29 Sept. 1877) and another of GEORGE H. ADAMS (died 1850). I mention the similarity of names since even a little research of the period shows how often the same would be used in a family.
So the trail seems to run out. However, the name "Sturgis" is so unusual that I still think its appearance in several instances more than a coincidence.

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ALONZO ADAMS. The following appeared in a Putnam, Connecticut, newspaper:
KING ADAMS OF SWAN ISLAND DIED THURSDAY AT BOSTON - BURIED: MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY, RICHMOND HILL, NEW YORK.
ALONZO ADAMS WAS A RELATIVE OF C.L. ADAMS OF THIS CITY - THE HISTORY OF HIS LIFE READS LIKE A ROMANCE.
King Alonzo Adams, master mariner, monarch, whose death occurred in a Boston hospital last Thursday, was a cousin of C.L. Adams of this city, foreman of the Observer. They had exchanged visits and the latter has quite a few mementos from his kinsman's island kingdom. The Boston Post* has the following regarding a most interesting personage: (*Jan. 16, 1913. E.O.C.)
"King Adams is dead. ALONZO ADAMS, the monarch of Swan Island In the Caribbean Sea, died at the Mass. General Hospital of cardiac trouble yesterday after an illness of

five days. His body was taken in charge by relatives in East Hampton, Conn., for burial. King ALONZO ADAMS, of whom much has been written, was a picturesque character whose occasional visits to Boston were chronicled by the press. Years ago, as a shrewd skipper, Captain Adams discovered that Swan Island, off the coast of Honduras in the Gulf of Mexico, was unclaimed by any power and that it was fertile and worthwhile. He squatted upon it. He did more -- he became king of it. His family followed him to the island. The native blacks multiplied and took kindly to their new king's rule. Coconuts and fruits were raised and shipped. His little fishing vessel was used thereafter to transport the island's produce to the mainland. Sometimes a trip was taken to Boston or New York. There were veritable outings for the captain, though business always figured in the trips. The island was divided by a rocky channel. As a whole, the territory is 40 miles in circumference and five miles across. On the more dangerous shore of the island, Captain Adams caused to be erected, after some years of prosperity and home comforts, a lighthouse to warn vessels of the perilous reefs and also for signalling purposes. All skippers in those seas knew Captain Adams personally, and would stop on signal. The king's home was on a little eminence overlooking the harbor. ALONZO ADAMS was the king, secretary, treasurer, boss farmer, board of trade, and press agent, and there is every reason to beleive he fulfilled every trust with credit and profit to all concerned. King Adams entertained frequent visitors from passing vessels of peace and war. Three sons and two daughters comprised the immediate family who will doubtless continue the reign so auspiciously begun by their father. One son and one daughter are married and live upon the island. At least one of his sons attended college in Mass.,. King Alonzo was a tall, thin-faced, weatherbeaten personage. With his wife and family members, he made several trips abroad, so that he was a world traveller."

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I developed information about ALONZO ADAMS because his father, Frederick, and Capt. Thomas B. were brothers, and I hoped thereby to find their father's record, but I have had no success.

Note 1..The following are paragraphs giving some disconnected information pertaining to ALONZO ADAMS or Swan Island.

Note 2..SWAN ISLAND appears on a map of Central America in Rand McNally's. It is NNE of Honduras and is labeled (U.S.). It has been the cause of recent litigation between Sumner Smith of Lincoln, Mass., and the U.S. Mr. Smith's father purchased the island from Alonzo Adams. In 1971, the U.S. Government said the title would not hold and allowed Honduras to take it.

Note 3..World Almanac, 1969, page 381. The Swan Island lie 97 mi. N.E. of Honduras, and is 2 miles by 1/2 mile with a population of 28 (1960 census), chiefly employees of U.S. Weather Bureau, which operates an upper air observing station, and the Federal Aviation Administration, serving air navigation and communication functions; Little Swan, 1 1/2 by 1/2 is uninhabited. They are classified an unincorporated territory of the U. s.; also been claimed by Honduras.

Note 4..The death certificate of Alonzo Adams of East Hampton, Conn., certified his death in Mass. General Hospital of Boston on

14 Jan. 1913, at the age of 74 years, 10 mo. and 4 days. His birthplace is given as Eastport, Maine, and his parents are named as FREDERICK ADAMS and MARY ANN BARNES ADAMS. The certificate is registered as #500 of the City of Boston in 1913. It gives his place of burial as Maple Grove Cemetery, Richmond Hill, New York.

Note 5..In "A Naturalist on Desert Islands", Percy R. Lowe, the author, says that Capt. A. of Swan Island told him his ancestors came from Yorkshire and Airedale.

Note 6..ALONZO ADAMS married JOSEPHINE LAMBERT of Deer Island, N. B. She was one of nine children, according to Mrs. John S. McKinlay, 100 Bradhurst Ave., Valhalla, N.Y. (She is a granddaughter of Alonzo.) She writes: "My grandparents, Alonzo and Josephine, were married very early in the morning, went aboard the "Wallace" and sailed to the Orient. Eighteen months later they returned with a son, WALLACE, born in Singapore. The American flag was raised and I beleive the birth was registered in Washington."

Note 7..Mrs. Arthur C. Adams of 80 Whittredge Rd., Summit, N.J. married the youngest son of Alonzo. She furnished:

"Alonzo Adams married Josephine Lambert at Deer Isle, N. B., 9 March 1870. He was born, 8 March 1838 at Eastport, Me. She was born, 15 Sep. 1845 at Deer Isle, N. B. They had: WALLACE C., b. Singapore, India 5 Dec. 1871

EDITH, born Calais, Me., 11 March 1873
EVA L., born Deer Isle, N.B. 17 May 1875
ALONZO JR.,b.Woodside,N.Y. 29 Oct. 1882
ARTHUR CLAY, as above 14 Mar. 1884

Note 8..The Boston Herald obituary of Jan. 17, 1913 adds: "One of his sons has made his home on the Easthampton farm, the other is a dentist in Brooklyn."

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BARTLIT (BARTLETT) (1844--) son of FREDERICK As in the case of "Sturgis" the name "Bartlett" appears in Adams family lists in several places. The name was sufficiently unusual to warrant research, but I was unable to establish connection with any antecedent of Capt. THOMAS B. ADAMS.

In the NEW ENGLAND HISTORICAL & GENEALOGICAL G--Ada--104..A BARTLETT is a son of JOHN and THANKFUL WASHBURN ADAMS. He emigrated to Maine where he became a stone-cutter and died in 1826.

In Boston Transcript Collection, New England Historic & Genealogy Section, 1911, page 4 & 96, FRANCIS ADAMS of Kingston (son of above JOHN & THANKFUL ADAMS) m. REBECCA COOK. They had a son, BARTLETT, who marr. CHARLOTTE NEAL, and named their son, BARTLETT. The latter born in 1806 and died in infancy. On page 38:
FRANCIS ADAMS married MARGARET PATTEN, their son BARTLETT, born 1814, died unmarried.
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THOMAS, brother of JOHN, married BATHSHEBA BRADFORD, great granddaughter of Gov. Bradford. They had a son BARTLETT in 1738. He died in 1741. This is the earliest Bartlett I have found, so he may be the one for whom the others were named.

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WILLIAM EDWARD (1849-1920) son of FREDERIC. The following was written some years ago by Mrs. Ella Leonard (now deceased) of Worces-

ter, Mass. She was a granddaughter of Frederic.
"The enclosed is part of a letter that Lillian wrote to me. Lillian is Edward's daughter. She always lived near Grandfather and Grandmother Adams.
'You want to know about Grandfather Adams' people. He has told me that his father was a first cousin to JOHN QUINCY ADAMS and came from Mass.,. Grandfather's mother was LYDIA BROWN (this may be BRAWN) from Lubec. I don't know which of his grandmothers was a STURGIS, but that is who Uncle Sturgis was named for.'"

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CONNECTICUT

Returning to the possibility that the family of our Capt. THOMAS B. ADAMS came from Conn. several reason for thinking so appear.

1--His brother & sister state in 1880 census their father was born in Connecticut.

2--"Yankee Township" by Carl F. Price, 1941, "Eastham, Mass., sent many of her best families to Conn. to a place on the east bank of the Conn. River where they began to build a community now known as the Town of East Hampton."

3--ALONZO ADAMS, son of FREDERIC, retired to a farm in East Hampton, Conn., after he sold Swan Island. His brother's name was BARTLIT a name common in the Cape Cod area.

4--There are a number of Adams tombstones in the Lakeside Cemetery of East Hampton, but I recognized none of the names.

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If you, the reader, recognize any of the names herein, please send your clues to:
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Brookline, Massachusetts 02146 Thank you!

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ADDAMS	Orange Co.	Richard Col.	Fluvanna
James Jr.	Charlotte	Richard Col.	Goochland
Adam	Caroline	Richard Lt.	Henrico
John	Frederick	Robert	Fairfax
John	Pittsylvania	Robert	Fluvanna
Josiah	Prince Edward	Robert	Pittsylvania
Josiah	"	Samuel	Botetourt
Martha	Surry	Samuel	Fairfax
Nathaniel	"	Samuel Sr.	Fairfax
Nipper	Halifax	William	Bedford
Richard	Essex		
Richard	Goochland	MRS.Adams	Fauquier
Richard	Henrico		
Richard	Henry		
Richard	New Kent		

CHARLES COUNTY MARYLAND, OFFICE OF THE REGISTER OF WILLS:

ADALINE	1892	JOHN R.	1797
BENJAMIN	1753	JOHN	1816
CHARLES	1732	JOHN	1838
DOROTHY	1848	JOSEPH	1852
ELIZABETH	1816	LUKE	1748
FRANCES	1766	LUDWICK	1730
GEORGE	1734	PRICILLA	1792
GEORGE H.	1880	RICHARD	1761
HENRY	1686	RHODY	1800
KITTY	1830	RACHAEL	1845
IGNATIUS	1815	ROBERT	1845
JOHN	1741	RICHARD	1886
JOSIAS	1775	SAMUEL	1748
JOSIAS	1805	SAMUEL	1840
JOSIAS	1808	SAMUEL	1849

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WILLIAM ADAMS, 1719-1757, DESCENDANTS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE, MINNESOTA, NORTH DAKOTA AND OREGON

MRS. VENICE GUYER, ROUTE 2, BOX 729, COOS BAY OREGON, 97420 . . . . . INQUIRIES INVITED.

WILLIAM ADAMS, born about 1719, died 3 Aug. 1757, Hollis, New Hampshire. Was in West Dunstable, Mass. (Hollis later* same place) 1739, town officer there. Married 29 May 17-44 to MARY SPEAR in Lunenburg, Mass. Lunenburg records state WILLIAM was a son of THOMAS and JUDY ADAMS of Dunstable. Children of WILLIAM & MARY SPEAR ADAMS:

MARY, b. 31 Oct. 1745 at Hollis
LYDIA, b. 14 Oct. 1747 at Hollis
MARTHA, b. 25 June 1749 at Hollis
LUCY, b. 17 August 1751 at Hollis
SARAH, b. 19 Feb. 1754 at Hollis
WILLIAM JR. b. 15 Apr. 1756 at Hollis

WILLIAM ADAMS JR., born 15 April 1756, died 5 Aug. 1835 at Dunbarton, New Hampshire. He married ESTHER PARKER, 30 May 1781, at Hollis with DANIEL EMERSON officiating. ESTHER was born 21 May 1755 at Hollis, died 3 Dec. 1846 at Dunbarton, N.H. She was a daughter of SAMUEL and MARY LAKIN PARKER JR.

WILLIAM received a pension for Rev. War service and later his widow was pensioned. See File #W21602. Their children were:

ESTHER, b. 10 Apr. 1784, m. LEVI PIERCE 28 Dec. 1815.
MARY, b. 1 Aug. 1786, m. ABRAHAM BOYNTON, 10 July 1809
WILLIAM, b. 3 June 1787 at Hollis
LEVI, b. 22 Jan. 1789 at Hollis
SARAH, b. 8 Jan. 1791 at Hollis
SAMUEL, b. 5 Jan. 1793 at Hollis
JOHN, b. 9 Jan. 1795 at Hollis, m. MARY SEAVER.
LUCY, b. 14 Aug. 1797 at Hollis.

JOHN ADAMS, 9 Jan. 1795, at Hollis, died 28 March 1872, at Dunbarton, N.H. Married MARY SEAVER (4 May 1801-28 Feb. 1880). They also lived at Goffstown, N.H. Their children:

JOHN W., b. 12 Mar. 1823, d. 27 Feb. 1895 m. ELIZA GREENLEAF
HARRIETT F., 30 Dec 1824-26 Oct. 1914, m. RODNEY JOHNSON
MARY S., 14 July 1827--1 June 1877, marr. ELIPHALET RICHARDS
SAMUEL P., 14 Dec. 1829-19 May 1870, unm.
KIMBALL WILLIAM, 17 Jan. 1832-10 May 1901, m. ELIZABETH ANN DAY
SOPHRONIA S., 6 July 1834, unm.
WILLIAM B., 21 Sep. 1837--18 Jan. 1864
FRANKLIN, 23 Sep. 1839--22 June 1842

KIMBALL WILLIAM ADAMS, 17 Jan. 1832, Goffstown, N. H., died 10 May 1901 at Williston, North Dakota. Married ELIZABETH ANN DAY (b. 16 Apr. 1845, d. 31 Dec. 1909 at Sherwood, Oregon) KIMBALL moved west in 1844 where he met ELIZABETH in Red Wing, Minnesota. She was a daughter of JOHN and SARAH COULTER DAY. Their children were:

JOHN K., b. 1861, Redwing, Mn., d. 1888 in Montana.
WILLIAM NATHAN, 5 July 1863, Red Wing, Mn. d. 21 Feb. 1936, m. ELLEN OLSON.
GEORGE E., 1865, in Wisconsin, d. 1893, North Dakota
THOMAS EDGAR, 13 June 1868, Redwing, Mn., d. 7 Dec. 1924, m. NELLIE HESKET

Contributor would like to hear from descendents of persons named in this article.

PERSONS NAMED "ADAMS" BURIED AT GAINSBORO, FREDERICK COUNTY, VIRGINIA..COMPILED BY MR. RALPH TRIPLETT, GORE, VIRGINIA

ALLIE M. (DEHAVEN) b. 18 Feb 1894; d. 21 Nov. 1971. Wife of ROBERT W.
ANNIE M. (BAKER) b. ca 1837; d. 10 June 1895
B.A. (BARBARA ANN SHANE), 29 Aug 1822; d. 8 Oct 1899; wife of WILLIAM JR.
BARKA B., b. ca 1827/8; d. 6 Oct 1892, aged 69/5/11; husband of DELPHIA FISHER.
BESSIE MAY, b. 1897; d. 1897
BRANSON J., b. 25 Oct. 1879; d. 12 Jul 1929
CLARA, b. 1893; d. 1907
DAVID, b. ca 1765; d. 25 Jun 1842; aged 77yr. husb. of SARAH LEANNAH(LANA) DEHAVEN
DELPHIA ANN (FISHER) b. 4 Nov. 1836; d. 21 Dec 1906; wife of BARAK B.
ELDRIDGE, b. 29 Jul 1879; d. 27 Nov 1879, son of JAMES H.
ELIZA (FISHER), b. ca 1799; d. 6 Feb 1885, 86 yrs., wife of PETER
ELIZABETH, d. 15 Jan. 1875; wife of HIRAM.
FRANCES O. (DEHAVEN), b. 1855; d. 1933; wife of THOMAS H.
FRANCES V., b. 1865; d. 1957.
HATTIE GARRETT, b. 20 Dec 1849; d. 12 Nov 1911; wife of MARTIN M.
HIRAM, d. 4 May 1879.
INEZ, 1 Aug. 1892; d. 7 Sep 1892; d/o THOMAS
JAMES H., b. ca 1826; d. 2 Sep 1885, aged 59/6/15; husband of ANNIE BAKER(who may have been nee BYWATER or widow BYWATER.)
JOHN, b. ca 1858, d. 19 Jul 1882, aged 24/3/29.
JULIA M., b. 1899; d. 19--.
LANA (SARAH LEANNAH DEHAVEN), b. ca 1772; d. 3 Aug 1853, aged 81, wife of DAVID.
LANEY (LENA QUICK??), b. 7 Jun 1786; d. 5 Jun 1878; wife of THOMAS
LEDE (LYDIA MALIN), b. ca 1738; d. 13 Oct 18-34, aged 96, wife of WILLIAM.
LEO J. b. 1917; d. 1919; son of ROBERT W.
LESLIE SMITH, d. 1 Mar 1915
LESTER, 20 Jun 1885; d. 8 Aug 1885
LILLIE, b. 5 Oct 1874; d. 8 Feb 1911. dau. of BARAK B.
LUCY, b. ca 1870; d. 21 Nov. 1905; aged 35; dau. of BARAK B.
MARTIN M., b. 30 Jul 1817; d. 8 Apr 1800 [as copied], husb. of HATTIE GARRETT.
MARY, b. ca 1807, d. 29 Jan 1824, aged 17, dau. of PETER.
NORRIS L., b. 1904; d. 1905.
P., 15 Dec 1882; d. 23 Aug 1883; s/o MARTIN.
PETER, b. 24 Feb 1798; d. 3 Nov. 1878; son of DAVID; husb. of ELIZA FISHER.
ROBERT W., b. 1859; d. 11 Jan 1951; husb. of CLARA DEHAVEN & (2) ALLIE DEHAVEN. A group of graves: ROBERT, CLARA, ALLIE, RUTH, LEO, WAYNE, NORRIS.
RUTH L., b. 1902; d. 1919
SARAH C. (BROWN), 26 Apr 1832; d. 30 Jan. 1904; wife of WILLIAM WASHINGTON.
THOMAS, b. ca 1772; d. 29 Feb 1852, in his 80th year.
W., b. ca 1725; d. 21 Oct 1802, aged 77; (Slate Stone)
WAYNE A., b. 1933; d. 1937; s/o ROBERT W.
WILLIAM WASHINGTON, b. 6 Mar 1815; d. 2 Dec. 1893, husb. of SARAH BROWN.
WILLIAM (JR.), b. 10 Mar 1825; d. 30 Aug 1885 husb. of BARBARA SHANE

NOTE: Apparently many stones in this Cemetery carry only initials and may have been footstones. They were possibly removed to facilitate mowing. Some may have been placed as markers for graves with no stones.

Mrs. Derrell Dyke, 105 1/2 N. Plum St.,Marysville, Ohio, 43040, sent the Gainsboro Cemetery, included genealogical facts, and obtained permission of Mr. Triplett to publish this

article.

Mrs. Dyke has the following queries pertaining to: -

THOMAS...was he s/o WILLIAM & LYDIA MALIN ADAMS? Husb. of LENA QUICK?

W., ...Was he husband of LYDIA MALIN?

ROBERT W.How were persons buried near him related? Were they one family?

ALLIE M .Was she second wife of ROBERT W.?

ANNIE M .(BAKER)..Was she also a BYWATER?

HIRAM .Did he marry PERLINA TRIPLETT 1872??

As a special favor to Mrs. Dyke we would like to mention her genealogical files on the surname of DEHAVEN. May we encourage your sharing any information on that name. Mrs. Dyke voluntarily indexed Volume I of Adams Addenda and presented the cards for our files. We are contemplating a way we may share her generous contribution with you. She is doing for the DEHAVENS what we are trying to for the ADAMS.

FAUQUIER COUNTY VIRGINIA MARRIAGES 1759--1854

BY Ralph L. Triplett, Gore, Va. 22637

ADAMS	SPOUSE	DATE
Be Ann P.	SCHOOLER Charles	16 Mar 1847
Ann (d. of John)	ASH Francis	20 Dec 1774
Beale	JETT Elizabeth	30 Dec 1807
Benj. F.	MARSHALL Mary	15 Feb 1830
Catherine	PICKRELL Joseph	5 Jan 1825
Charles	FURR Nancy	8 Jan 1788
Charles	McLAREN Elizabeth	10 Mar 1827
Charles	NEWMAN Huldah	9 Apr 1835
Charles S.	JONES Harriet H.	13 Oct 1825
Eleanor(d.of Josiah)	LEMERT Laban	11 Dec 1815
Elizabeth(" John)	SMITH Thomas	26 Jun 1769
Eliza Agness(of Turner)	TURNER Jas.	8 Nov 1841
Elizabeth(d.of Thos.)	ASHBY Nimrod	29 Dec 1800
Elizabeth(" Wm.)	JONES Henry	12 Jan 1811
Elizabeth(" Walter)	TAYLOR Chas	22 Dec 1813
Elizabeth	LAWS Edmund (ward)	27 Sep 1841
Fenton T.	SMITH Ann E.	7 Oct 1840
Francis S.	WREN Patsey N.	8 Dec 1834
Frankey (d.of Absalom)	LOWE John	2 Mar 1789
Gavin	MILLER Susanna	4 Mar 1790
George	TURNER Ann	20 Jun 1769
George	CHINN Ann	3 Jan 1820
George T.	ADAMS Jane L.	29 Aug 1834
George T.	FLOWERREE Eliza R.	22 May 1848
George W.	ENGLISH Ann M.	18 Sep 1848
Gustavis	PATTIE Elizabeth	28 Jan 1839
Harriet(d.of Thos)	GRANVILLE John	14 Dec 1843
Harriet(" Saml)	TURNER John A.	8 Nov 1827
Helen (d.of Peter)	SMITH Augustine	25 Jan 1845
Henry	HUTCHINSON Mary	15 Dec 1841
James	GAINES Sarah C.	12 Feb 1853
James L.	BAKER Andrinella	25 May 1852
Jane (d.of Sam)	SLAUGHTER George	28 Mar 1831
Jenny(d.of Chas)	NEWLAN James	23 Feb 1807
Johanna (" Thos)	LONG Robert	1 Apr 1845
John	MCCORMACK Betsy	25 Jul 1785
John	HERRIFORD Peggy	20 Oct 1811
John	SMITH Polly	31 Aug 1801
John	MCLAREN Susan	13 Oct 1801
John A.	BARBEE Mary E.	10 Feb 1840
John W.	SULLIVAN Matilda	28 Sep 1835
Joseph W.	ANDERSON Lavinia	1 Jun 1854
JOSIAS P.	CRUMP Elizabeth	1 Feb 1792
Juliet L.	BLACKMORE W. F.	1 Nov 1850
Littleton	ASH Elizabeth	22 Sep 1835
Louisa(d.Lucy)	PROCTOR Nathaniel	18 Sep 1834
Louisa(d.of John)	MASON Peter	18 Dec 1837
Lucinda(" ")	MASON William	29 Jan 1831
Lucy Jane(d.Turner)	KERFOOT George	5 May 1837
Marion S.(d.Peter)	SMITH William	30 Mar 1831
Martha(d.Turner)	TURNER William	15 Dec 1845
Martha(d. James)	SMITH Charles	12 Jan 1827
Mary E.	NEWLAN John W.	9 Aug 1831
Mary	BROOKON William	30 Mar 1841
Mary A.(d.Francis)	CHINN Francis	17 Oct 1833
Mary A.(d.James)	HATHAWAY J.H.	23 Nov 1844
Mary A.(d.Littleton)	JACKSON George	19 Dec 1835
Mary E.	RECTOR Washington	25 Sep 1840
Mason	HUTCHINSON Armenia	2 Nov 1846

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Nancy (cons.Josiah)	GREEN George	22 Aug	1808
Sally (d. John)	HERRILL Richard	13 Dec	1836
Sally (d. Walter)	MCCLARIN William	22 Jan	1811
Samuel	SMITH Elizabeth	28 Jun	1803
Samuel	THOMPSON Louisa	8 Feb	1814
Susan (d.Thos)	BALLINGER James	23 Jan	1832
Susan (")	BRADFORD Henry	21 Aug	1846
Susanna(d.Sarah)	MARSHALL Thos. Jr.	11 Sep	1783
Susan (D.Richard)	OREAR Peter	6 Feb	1826
Thomas M.	JETT Fanny	22 Jul	1818
Turner	SMITH Polly	18 Jan	1797
William G.	GRAY Maryan	30 Mar	1803
Willis	CHINN Sarah	13 Jan	1813

SHENANDOAH COUNTY VIRGINIA MARRIAGES TO 1850

Alexander	ODELL Mrs. Nancy	25 Nov	1830
Catherine (d. of Christian)	WHITE Isaac	25 Apr	1836
Christian	COFFMAN Nancy	23 Oct	1813
Jacob	HENKEL Sabena	16 Oct	1811
James	ROBINSON Betty A.	20 Nov	1834
William	BERT Nancy, widow	14 Apr	1835

LOUDOUN COUNTY VIRGINIA MARRIAGES 1759 -- 1854

Catherine(bd. Henry)	HOOPER James	8 Nov	1830
Daniel	SMITH Susanna	9 Sep	1833
Eliza Ann(d.Henry)	THORNTON Charles	21 Jul	1835
Elizabeth(" ")	WHITMORE John	25 Feb	1850
Elizabeth(" Francis)	ISH George	10 Nov	1845
Fitzallen(" Henry)	BUCK Mason	17 Jan	1850
Francis T.	ROUSSEAU Martha	9 Mar	1850
Henry	MCGAHA Mary	13 Jan	1836
James	CRANWELL Jane S.	8 May	1834
Jane E.(d.Richard)	ROGERS Samuel	14 Nov	1836
John	WATKINS, Eleanor	1 Aug	1834
Josias	Hill Mary Ann	9 Feb	1829
Mary A.(d.Richard)	SIMPSON John W.	11 Feb	1848

Mason S. witnessed a marr. no info given.

*Richard	DYER Anna	10 Apr	1837
Sarah	THOMPSON John C.	27 Oct	1838
William	WILLETT Linney	1 Jan	1799
William	WOLFORD Mahala	26 Feb	1839
William F.	OSBURN, Adelaide	1 Dec	1834
*Patty (cons.John)	MCGEATH Gabriel	20 Oct	1799

BERKELEY COUNTY VIRGINIA MARRIAGES 1781 - 1854
(NOW IN WEST VIRGINIA)

Jane	KIGER George Jr.	8 Apr	1801
Mary C.	TROWBRIDGE Wm.	23 Feb	1854
Samuel	COKENHEAS Elizabet	17 Oct	1819
Samuel	AIKENHEAD Elizabet	8 Jun	1798
Sarah	TAYLOR William	8 Nov	1818

Thomas, was a minister from 1807 to --

FREDERICKSBURG VIRGINIA MARRIAGES 1782 -- 1850

Andreas B.	CURRELL Mary A.	18 May	1842
John (Q)	GARNETT Malvina	17 Nov	1841
Robert W.	WILLIAMS Ann N.	12 Feb	1850
Solomon	TEASLEY Mary	17 Apr	1816
Solomon	FERNEYHOUGH Frances	16 Feb	1820
William	RICHARDSON Mary A.	19 Aug	1824

ORANGE COUNTY VIRGINIA MARRIAGES 1747 -- 1810

Benjamin	COLEMAN Nelly	7 Apr	1781
(Register says Milly BOND)			1780
Elisha	SMITH Delia	22 Dec	1795
James	CHAMBERS Mary	16 May	1782
James	HARPER Patsey	17 May	1810
James	WELCH Eley	3 May	1773
Thomas B.	BURNLEY Judith	20 Jun	1807

CULPEPER COUNTY VIRGINIA MARRIAGES 1781 - 1815

John	CALVERT Margaret	17 Apr	1794
Thomas	HOUTON Anne	13 Oct	1796

CEMETERY...MAYKING, LETCHER COUNTY KENTUCKY...
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POLLIE WEBB, July 16, 1897 - June 30, 1833.
W. T. ADAMS, 1941
N. A. d. 13 S--- 1857 (field rock)
SARAH, dau. of JOHN B., April 29, 1821 ------ March 27, 1863.
JOHN B., born 1818,(stone broken) March 1863 or 1868
MARY A. ADAMS, 9/22/1953, age 83 yrs., 1 mo. and 23 days. (Funeral marker.).
J.S. ADAMS, Dec. 18, 1851---April 18, 1923
UNCLE JIM HEN, 2/10/1865--4/24/1942
AUNT MARY 1/27/1859--10/10/1939
SARAH ADAMS, 1/20/1863--3/8/1942
S.E. ADAMS SR., Oct. 29, 1857--April 6, 1935
Elder G. BENNETT ADAMS, May 19, 1894---March 21, 1950. To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die. (On back).....A Regular Baptist Minister for 37 years. Pastor of Thornton Church for 30 years Served the people as County Attorney, County Judge. He made the world more beautiful around him.
JOHN ADAMS, died Aug. 1815. The First Adams in this area.
PURTHIAN, 1842-1843
Elder WILLIAM G., Jan 21, 1820--June 29, 1861
MARY, March 14, 1818--Feb. 5, 1899
WILLIAM G. (BILLY GRIT) 1789-1870 (New stone.)
POLLY K.
POLLY AN.

SPENCER F., 1865--1885

SALLY A., 1825--1910
SIMPSON, 1821--1897

S.C.A. b. M. 8, 1821, d. D. 13, 1897
2,E.A. bn. 11, 1865--die 16, 1885

W.A., 1810--1815 (cut into rock)
R.A.B., M. 14, --55, d. M.24, 1855

MOSES, 1865--1931
POLLY ANN, 1866--1948
FATHER SIMPSON M. ADAMS, July 4, 1869--Dec. 18 1945
MARY ELIZABETH ADAMS, 3/13/1874--May 22, 1839
Rev. BEN and LYDIA ADAMS, 3/27/1867--4/15/1868 (hers: 4/15/1868--Nov. 14/1959
ANDREW J. 2/9/1873--7/3/1954
HANNAH E. 3/11/1875--4/7/1955

BLAIR CEMETERY, LETCHER COUNTY KENTUCKY
MRS. LUCILLE SMITH COMBS, LITTCARR, KENTUCKY..

Mrs. Combs submitted many other readings from the following cemeteries, however, we have chosen only the oldest.

Elder J. A. BLAIR, born Sept. 17, 1862, n. d.
SARAH BLAIR, 2/15/1808--4/22/1891
HAS BLAIR, 1807--April 14/1894
E. Z. ADAMS, 1770, age being (undeciperable).

E.Z. ADAMS, 1770, age being (undecipherable).
JESSIE A. BLAIR, Jan. 5, 1833--May 6, 182-(?)
NANNIE L. BLAIR, Oct. 28, 1860--12/15/1888
LAVINIA BLAIR, 4/4/1841--10/14/1891
S.H. BLAIR, 11/18/1842--11/19/1873
SPENCER ADAMS, 4/11/1862--2/19/19--
RACHEL ADAMS, 9/17/1862--2/1955
JUDY COMBS, 12/1841--1883
JOHN W. COMBS, 9/14/1844--1/2/1915
MINERVA ADAMS died April 22, 1893
LETTIE ANN ADAMS, wife of JOHNATHAN HARTT, 6/7/1866--2/1/1896

The old section of Adams, McCombs, Mortens, Williams, etc., were rocks with trees, bushes and rose briars over my head. One grave in the Adams row had sunk four feet. ISAAC and ELIZABETH WILLIAMS ADAMS are probably in this cemetery. (Quote from Mrs. Combs.)

PROGRESSIVE ANCESTRAL FAMILY GROUPS, ILLINOIS, NEW YORK, CONNECTICUT & RHODE ISLAND.

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INFORMATION AND QUERIES INVITED

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JOHN PARK ADAMS, born 9 July 1837, Stephentown, Rensselaer Co., New York
marr. 28 Feb 1861, Pittsfield, Pike Co., Ill., Congregational Church.
died 26 Sept 1921, Orting Soldiers Home, Pierce Co., Washington.
Bur. 28 Sept 1921, Home Cemetery, Orting, Pierce Co., Washington.
His father---ISAIAH ADAMS
His mother---AMY I. LESTER MILITARY: Pension 397-626 CW.

WIFE JULIA ANN PENCE, dau. of WILLIAM PENCE and SARAH STAMBACH.
Born 10 June 1844, Preble Co., Monroe Twp., Ohio
Died 20 Dec. 1914, Spokane, Spokane Co., Washington
Bur. 22 Dec. 1914 Fairmont Cemetery, Spokane, Washington.

CHILDREN:

1. WILLIAM ISAIAH,	7 Dec. 1862,	Atlas,	Pike Co.,Ill.,	m. LAURA COULTER, 26 Nov. 1885
2. FRANK	17 Nov. 1864,	Pittsfield,	" ,	nm, died 22 Jan. 1888
3. LAURA BELL	3 Mar. 1867,	"	" ,	m. WILLIS GARDNER, 1890
4. FANNIE JANE	3 Mar. 1867,	"	" ,	d. 8 Sept. 1867
5. CHARLES HARVEY,	19 Mar. 1869,	"	" ,	m. ELIZABETH RICE, 3 Apr. 1895
6. SARAH LAVINA	26 Aug. 1871,	"	" ,	m. GEORGE KERR, 4 July 1888
7. JOHN LESTER	10 Aug. 1873,	"	" ,	m. MYRA CLARK, 1900
8. HATTIE ELLA	26 Dec. 1874,	"	" ,	m. ROBERT P.JONES,20 June 1895

ISAIAH ADAMS, born 5 Jan. 1806, Stephentown, Rensselaer Co., New York.
Marr. 14 Feb. 1833, Groton, New London, Connecticut *REF: Cn. Vital Records*
Died 6 Dec. 1884, Pittsfield, Pike Co., Illinois
His father---JAMES ADAMS, JR.,.
His mother---EDNAH ALLYN

WIFE AMY I. LESTER, born 28 Mar. 1809, Groton, New London, Connecticut.
Other information needed.

1. NANCY	Nov. 1833,	Stephentown,	Rensselaer Co.,	New York, died 1834.
2. ISAIAH	12 Mar. 1835,	"	"	, died 1838.
3. AMY A.	12 Mar. 1835,	"	" ,	THOMPSON BEARD, 2 Dec. 1851
4. JOHN PARK	9 July 1837,	"	" ,	
5. NATHAN LESTER	3 July 1839,	"	" ,	ELIZABETH STEWART, April 1861.
6. BUELL ROSS	31 Aug. 1841,	"	" ,	NELLIE MUMMY, 24 Sept. 1869.
7. ORLO DUANE	30 Aug. 1843,	Atlas,	Pike Co.,Ill.,	CaLLIE HERRON, May 1867

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JAMES ADAMS, JR.,, born 17 Feb. 1759, Groton, New London Co., Connecticut
Marr..20 Aug. 1796, Stephentown, Rensselaer Co., New York *(not verified)*
Died. 5 Jan. 1843, " "
Bur. Baptist Burial Grounds, Stephentown, New York.
His father---JAMES ADAMS, SR.,
His mother---MARY RANDALL MILITARY: Rev. War Pension
Other marr: #1. MARY _____, #2 SARAH STEBBINS, #3 see below:
WIFE EDNAH ALLYN, *unverified dau. of JACOB and EDNAH LATHROP ALLYN.*
Born 31 Oct. 1769, Groton, New London, Connecticut *unverified*
Died 23 Aug. 1846, Pittsfield, Pike Co., Illinois *unverified*

1.	JAMES III.	16 June 1797,	Stephentown,	Rensselaer Co. N.Y.,	SARAH LESTER,11 Feb.
2.	NANCY	19 Oct. 1798,	"	"	, RUFUS BROWN,1820 /1821
3.	EDNAH	16 Nov. 1800,	"	"	,WILLIAM ROSS, July 1821
4.	ISRAEL ALLEN	31 July 1803,	"	"	,HARRIET GREEN, 10 Feb 1833
5.	ISAIAH	5 Jan. 1806,	"	"	, *see preceding family*
6.	JEREMIAH	8 Mar. 1810,	"	"	,MARY SEELEY,28 Nov. 1831

JAMES ADAMS, SR.,, born 6 Feb. 1732, Groton, New London, Connecticut.
Marr. 3 Aug. 1756, Westerly, Rhode Island by Silas Greenman, Justice.
Died 1 Apr. 1807, Stephentown, Rensselaer Co., New York.
His father---NATHANIEL ADAMS
His mother---HANNAH WHEELER
WIFE MARY RANDALL, dau. of JONATHAN and PRESERVED PELTON RANDALL.
Born. 2 May 1737, Groton, New London, Connecticut
Died 19 Feb. 1820, Stephentown, Rensselaer Co., New York.

1.	HENRY	5 June 1757,	Groton,	New London Co. Cn.,	died young
2.	JAMES ADAMS JR.		*see preceding family*		
3.	MARY	18 Aug. 1761	Groton,	New London Co. Cn.,	JOEL CURTIS
4.	WILLIAM	11 Sept 1763,	"	"	,died young
5.	PRESCILLAH	28 Jan. 1766,	"	"	, EARL KING
6.	EUNICE	21 May 1768,	"	"	, JOHN DOTY, 22 May 1785.
7.	ESTHER	23 Aug. 1770,	"	"	,DAVID GOODRICH,21 Aug 1789
8.	PARK	30 July 1772,	"	"	,RHODEMA HOWARD, 1795
9.	SARAH	2 Nov. 1775,	"	"	,DANFORD DOTY,2 Nov. 1791
10.	NATHAN	21 May 1778,	"	"	, SALLY COOK
11.	JOHN	nd	Stephentown,	Rensselaer Co.,	N.Y.

(first seven births of children verified in Conn. Vital Records.)

NATHANIEL ADAMS, born 25 Mar. 1808/9, Westerly, Rhode Island
Marr. 23 Jan. 1731, Westerly, Rhode Island
Died. (alive Jan. 1783), Groton, Connecticut
His father---JAMES ADAMS
His mother---HONOR HALL MILITARY: Killed in Revolutionary War.

WIFE HANNAH WHEELER, dau. of DAVID WHEELER *(Conn. Vital Records)*
Born 12 May 1707, Groton, New London Co., Connecticut
Died Mar. 1784; Bur. Wood Cemetery, Groton, Conn.

CHILDREN:

1.	JAMES SR.	*see preceding family*			
2.	ELIJAH	8 Aug. 1734,	Westerly,	Rhode Island,	
3.	DAVID	20 Sept 1737,	"	"	, MARY
4.	NATHANIEL	8 June 1739,	Groton,	New London Co.,	Cn.,MARY GEER, 12 June 1768
5.	WILLIAM	22 Nov. 1740,	"	"	,MARY COOK, 23 Nov 1758.
6.	SIMEON	23 Jan. 1742/3,	"	"	,
7.	HANNAH	3 Sept 1744,	"	"	, DANIEL DOWNING, 1 Oct. 1760.
8.	JOSEPH	20 Aug. 1747,	"	"	,
9.	MARY	20 Aug. 1747,	"	"	,JOSEPH HEATH, 9 Feb. 1764.
10.	SARAH	20 Nov. 1756,	"	"	,

Above births verified by either Rhode Island or Connecticut Vital Records
BLACKMAN AND ALLIED FAMILIES, Alfred L. Holman, says Nathaniel marr. ELIZABETH COMSTOCK of Monteville, Conn. about 1770.
Also see: BOSTON TRANSCRIPT; 9638, July 28, 1930, July 7, 1930, Feb. 5, 1930.

JAMES ADAMS, born *unknown.*
Marr. 14 August 1697, Westerly, Rhode Island
Died, after 1737

WIFE HONOR HALL, birth unknown, dau. of HENRY HALL, *New England Hist. & Gen. Register, Vol. 14, p. 166; ALSO: Savage, 'Newport Hist. Mag.'2:6.*

CHILDREN:

1.	JAMES JR.	20 Jan. 1697/8,	Westerly,	Wash. Co.,	Rhode Island, SARAH CALLENDER
2.	JOHN	26 May 1700,	Westerly,	Wash. Co.,	Rhode Island ELIZABETH BROWN, 1734.
3.	JONATHAN	28 Sept 1702,	"	"	, living in 1761.
4.	HENRY	27 Sept 1704,	"	"	, died before 1761
5.	HONOR	11 July 1706,	"	"	, WILLIAM WOOD
6.	NATHANIEL				
7.	THOMAS	24 Mar. 1710,	"	"	, MARY HALL, 23 Nov. 1732.
8.	JOSEPH	4 Mar. 1714/5,	"	"	, MARY CRANDALL, 14 Sept. 1737.

Births of children verified VITAL RECORDS OF RHODE ISLAND, Arnold.
BLACKMAN & ALLIED FAMILIES, Alfred L. Holman, p. 22
BOSTON TRANSCRIPT: #9638 July 7, 1930; July 28, 1930; #2401 Nov. 19, 1930; #6667 Sept. 16, 1903.

IF YOUR NAME IS ADAMS

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"Don't try genealogy as a hobby if your name happens to be Adams, and particularly if it happens to be John Adams, I know--I have tried it."

"I have read every book that I could find. I have spent days and days searching through libraries in various states. I have spent many a vacation searching archives in historical archives. I have talked with and written to hundreds of Adamses. The result is that I have discovered there are a lot of Adamses, but I don't know my ancestors back any farther than the Revolutionary War."

"The sum of my discoveries is that there were 127 different Adams families immigrated to America before 1750, probably no two of the families were very closely related. Of this group, twenty-one family heads were named John. There were 182 John Adamses in the Revolutionary War. There were hundreds of John Adamses in the War of 1812, hundreds in The Civil War and the Spanish American War. I have never been able to ascertain how many by that name served in the First World War, but there must have been a thousand."

"When I could go no further than the Revolutionary War, where my great-great grandfather served from Virginia, I tried starting from the other end to find where they came from. It is usually assumed that all of the Adamses came from the Sir John Q. Adams whom we find in Wales in 1304. Even if you consider the Adams family moderately polific, there would have been nearer a billion descendants from Sir John. Am I one of them? But then we find another probably unrelated line springing from Sir Duncan Adams of the early Thirteenth Century in Scotland. I hope you note all the titles. Now maybe I am a descendant from one of those."

"Getting back to America, we find that the first Adams to hit the rocks of America was one John Adams, who, with his family landed on the rocks of Plymouth, Massachusetts, in 1621 from the good ship Fortune."

"Generation after generation there has been at least one John Adams in every Adams family that I have discovered. Either the Adamses have been fond of the name or else there are other traditions connected with it of which I know nothing. There were quite a few Henrys, Georges, a few Jacobs, and now and then an Ebeneezer among the early Adamses, but there was always a John."

"Even today, with few exceptions, your city directory contains several John Adamses. I figure there are about ten Adams families to every one hundred thousand population in this country, and about one third of them have the name of John."

"From 1400 to 1776 there is a gap of some seven or eight generations which I cannot bridge." JOHN D. ADAMS, Rotarian *Executive Secretary, Chamber of Commerce, Des Moines, Iowa. From "ROTARIAN" February 1937* (Addenda would like to learn if author of above found a solution...cause it seems to us the problem, 35 years later, still exists.

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1880 MISSOURI HEADS OF HOUSEHOLDS FROM OTHER PLACES

EXTRACTED FROM 1880 CENSUS SOUNDEX BY DOROTHY AMBURGEY GRIFFITH. AGE, PLACE OF BIRTH AND COUNTY OF RESIDENCE GIVEN. FAMILIES WITHOUT CHILDREN AGED TEN OR YOUNGER EXCLUDED. FAMILY UNIT INFORMATION WILL BE SUPPLIED BY ST. LOUIS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, 1617 SOUTH BRENTWOOD BLVD., ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, 63144, FOR A ONE DOLLAR DONATION.

A.	37,Ky.	Clinton
A.A.	40, Il.	Randolph
A.C.	32,Pa.	Harrison
A.F.	62,S.C.	Wright
A.J.	46,Tn.	Barton
A.L.	35,In.	Putnam
Adrian	28,NY	Taney
Agnes	49,In	Caldwell
Al	55,Va	Marion
Albert	39,Oh	Nodaway
Albert	34,Oh	Newton
Alen	33,Ky	Jasper
Alexdr	59,Ky	Phelps
Alfred	40,In	Montgmry
	44,Il	Lewis
	34,Tn	Lawrnce
Andrew	51,Ky	Gentry
	67,Ky	Cooper
	36,Oh	Caldwell
Andrew	29,Il	Stoddard
	57,Tn.	Newton
	46,Tn.	Clay
	35,Ky	Ray
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	47	In	Carroll
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	30	Ky	St.Louis
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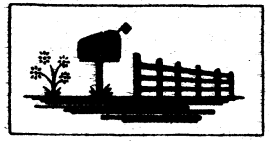

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—*Bertrand Russell*

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In the year 1710, over two hundred years ago, there was born in Simsbury, Conn., a little boy whom they called JONAS ADAMS. His parents were among the first settlers of this country. They were descended from a long line of English ancestors and also were of the same family of Adams as the President, John Quincy Adams.

In 1736 this JONAS ADAMS married Elizabeth SEXTON. In looking back over six generations of his descendents to the present day, we find that this Jonas Adams was my ancestor; my great-great grandfather. In 1740 he was located in New York City, on Williams street and was a physician. He had two sons, Jonas and John, both Civil Engineers and Surveyors. This John was my great-grandfather. He was married in 1765 to CHARITY SMITH and located in Dutchess County, New York, where a tract* of land was granted to him. This deed or grant of land with King George's Seal on it, having been kept in the family so many years, is considered a very valuable heirloom. On this land John Adams settled and had a number of slaves (there being about 15,000 slaves at that time held in bondage in New York State). In 1775 John Adams' wife died and he returned to New York City and entered the Continental Army as a Captain at the beginning of the Revolutionary War. He served under Generals Washington, Putnam and Lee. He was promoted to the rank of Major and belonged to General Washington's staff. He rendered valuable aid to General Washington and our country as Civil Engineer and Surveyor also in the Commissary Department, but would not accept any pay for his services in the Army.

During Major Adams' service in the Army, he was again married in 1778 to MARY TOWNSEND of Oyster Bay, Long Island. From extracts from her letters we gather the following facts: "When I first saw John Adams he was called Major Adams and carried a sword. He had command of the Artificers who constructed the Chevaux-de-frise on the Hudson River, and superintended the laying of the Cable Chain across the Hudson River, to prevent the British Fleet from getting by. It was constructed by command of the Committee of Safety of the Provincial Congress. At the old Homestead of my great-grandmother's family, the Townsends, at Oyster Bay, can be seen a piece of this cable chain. Also at this same Colonial Homestead Major Andre was a visitor a few days before his capture. Major Adams was one of the Army officers who witnessed the execution of Major Andre. Just before the execution, Major Andre's hat was removed and handed to Major Adams who held it during the execution.

Major Adams served through the Revolutionary War until the troops were disbanded. He was then appointed "Superintendent of Mechanics" and superintended building of the Soldiers Barracks at Fishkill. In 1790 he became one of the first settlers and incorporators of the town and village of Plattsburg, N. Y., and for his share in the corporation received 1600 acres of land. He built a residence on Cumberland Head, six miles from Plattsburg, and here brought his family and slaves. This is a very historic spot. Adjoining Major Adams' land were the Homesteads of General Woolsey and General Moore, also the Commodore McDonough farm of 200 acres, presented to that hero of the battle of Plattsburg by the Government. Near by is the old fort built by General Izard, assisted by Major Adams and

others. This fort was used in the battle of Plattsburg. The first cannon ball fired from the British Fleet in that battle was fired at this fort and struck near Major Adams' house. One of his slave "Old Pete", saw where it struck and afterwards obtained it. This cannon ball is now among our family relics. Major Adams died in 1823 and is buried in the old family burial ground near his home. His slaves were not allowed to be buried in the family burial ground, but were buried by an old stone wall near.

The widow of Major Adams applied for a pension in 1837, which was granted. Also the United States Government gave Major Adams, for his service in the War, 500 acres of land in the Western part of the State, near Rochester, then a wilderness.

Sarah, Major Adams' daughter, born in 1791, married in 1813, LUTHER HAGAR of Middlebury Vermont. They were my grand parents and lived in the old Adams' Homestead. There my father, CHARLES LUTHER HAGAR, was born in 1819 and married in 1839, ELIZABETH ANNABLE of Saratoga, granddaughter of EPHRAIM ANNABLE and JACOB ESMOND, early settlers of Saratoga. My grandfather bought the General Woolsey Homestead and estate of a hundred acres and gave it to my father as a wedding present in 1838. It was a very large house, built after the old Dutch style, with sloping roofs which formed the verandas, with gable windows, arched doorways and old Dutch doors with brass knockers, and spacious halls and large fire places. The estate also had "quarters" which General Woolsey's slaves had formerly occupied. It was in this Homestead that I was born. There was much in my childhood to impress my mind with the stories and traditions of these old Revolutionary heroes, and their times, wh had formerly occupied these homes, and the past was so vividly connected with the present, that I have always felt that I was truly a "Daughter of the Revolution."

In the war of 1860, my father was appointed Chaplain of the 118th Regt.,N. Y. State Volunteers. He inherited the spirit of his grandfather, Major Adams, and served from the beginning of the war until it ended.

The old Homestead of Major Adams is now a hundred and twenty-six years old *(written in 1914)*, and is at present owned and occupied by the 5th generation of his descendents. It contains many relics of "Ye olden times." Only one of his many grandchildren is now living, Mrs. Maria Boardman Ross, a member of Saranac Chapter D. A. R., Plattsburg, N. Y.

The Motto on the Adams' Coat of Arms is--

"Sub, Cruse, Salus."

Under the Cross there is safety.

"In the upper part of a Gothic window, on the Southeast side of Tideham Church, near Chopston, England, the name 'Jhes Ap Adams' 1310 in old English and Arms are still (1851) to be found beautifully executed in stained glass of great thickness and in perfect preservation."

**As there were three other JOHN ADAMS living in Dutchess Co., he changed the spelling of his name to ADDOMS for his own identification---In old deeds it is ADDOMS (Indexed as ADAMS).*

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WILLIAM H. (b. 1822) & IANTHIA J. ADAMS Bible Records, died Mo.; Family Group Sheets of same family. Donor: Florence Gifford.

ANCESTORS & DESC. of DEACON ISAAC WARD ADAMS, 1779-1860, B. Shutesbury, Mass., d. Oneida Co. N.Y., son of ASA ADAMS. 18x24 chart with photos of BELINA, SILAS, BENJ. F., ISAAC JR., & SEYMOUR W. ADAMS, Donor--Ben Adams of Mo.

Letter pertaining to WILLIAM A. ADAMS & wife SALOME of Lancaster Co. Pa. Ch: B.FRANK, GEORGE F., JOSEPH H., JOHN CONRAD., JACOB and SARAH C.. Donor--Dorothy D. Wood.

Rowan Co. N.C. Marriage Bonds...Henry W.Adams
Letter pertaining to WILLIAM ADAMS & wife SARAH, b. Va. d. Carroll Co. Ga...Henry W.Adams

1850 E. Tenn. Census, several counties, 8 pg, Monroe Co. Tn. census 1830 thru 1880; Ky. 1820 census, 1820 Georgia census, 1850 Georgia census (many counties), etc.....Henry W.Adams
In addition, this donor sent us an index of his Adams collection. Wonderful idea!

1820 Indiana census...Donor--Irene Okes.

KENTUCKY
JEFFERSON COUNTY DEATHS

1852–1859

ADAMS, ELIZA age-34; b. not given, d. Feb. 19, 1858 of consumption; parents not given.

ADAMS, FANNY C. age-27; b. Jefferson Co., d. Oct. 19, 1858 of disease of stomach; parents Bartlett and Mary Adams.

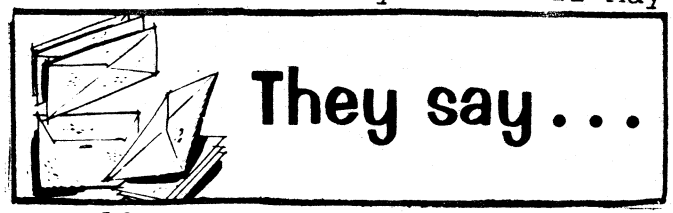
ADAMS, GEORGE age-41; b. Ohio. d. Nov. 12, 1857 of bilious fever; parents not given.

ADAMS, ISAAC age-62; b. Kentucky, d. Dec. 21, 1854 of inflammatory rheumatism; parents M. and Betsy Adams.

ADAMS, JAS. age-37; b. Germany, d. April 5, 1857 of consumption; parents not given.

ARUNDEL AND KENNEBUNKPORT, MAINE, MARRIAGES FOUND IN TOWN BOOKS, 1776-1891 JTA 1:88/143

Almira A.	RICH	Uriah	12 Sept	1841
Benjamin	THOMAS	Salloway	21 Oct.	1794
Benj. Jr.	WILDES	Sarah	18 Dec.	1794
Benj. M.	KIMBALL	Sarah	21 Dec.	1839
Caroline H.	SMITH	Jacob W.	13 Feb.	1850
Charles B.	SMITH	Susie M.	21 Nov.	1882
Cyrus K.	BOURNE	Sarah B.	25 Dec.	1847
Daniel	LITTLEFIELD	Olive	Nov.	1826
Dorothy	BENSON	Robert W.	18 Dec.	1777
Eliza	CURTIS	William	19 Aug.	1873
Elizabeth	GOODWIN	Benj.	18 Sept	1783
Hannah	MAXWELL	William	28 Nov.	1799
Hannah	GOODWIN	Bartholomew	15 Nov.	1800
Hannah M.	HUTCHINS	Edwin	15 Aug.	1840
Harry	CLOWES (?)	Julia	24 Nov.	1821
Isaac D.	LITTLEFIELD	Alphreda	22 Apr.	1881
James	BENSON	Lydia	25 Jan	1806
James	THOMAS	Maria	23 Nov.	1841
John	STONE	Lydia	27 July	1809
Joseph	JEFFREY	Priscilla	28 Nov.	1798
Joseph Jr.	WALKER	Huldah	27 Mar.	1823
Joseph Jr.	BICKFORD	Eunice	2 Feb.	1839
Joseph 3rd	SMITH	Hannah	9 Oct.	1824
Julia	BENSON	John	14 June	1834
Lydia	HOPPING	William	17 Sept	1807
Lydia	MCBRIDE	Edward	8 Sept	1827
Lydia	GOODWIN	Daniel	26 July	1787
Mary	BENSON	Samuel	19 Feb.	1778
Mary E.	HARRIS	James D.	11 Oct.	1870
Oliver	HUTCHINS	Betsy	23 Feb.	1833
Pamelia	WARREN	Jesse	26 Mar.	1835
Pamelia E.	HUFF	Orrin	14 Feb.	1861
Phebe	LEWIS	Alexander	17 Nov.	1796
Phebe	PATTEN	Daniel	10 Jan.	1818
Robert	BENSON	Susah	4 July	1831
Rufus	FISHER	Eliza	5 Dec.	1853
Ruth B.	DOLLIFF	Benjamin R.	7 Dec.	1859
Sally	BURNHAM	Israel	24 Oct.	1822
Sarah	MURPHY	Pierce	3 Mar.	1785
Sarah	BICKFORD	Ivory	23 Mar.	1833
Sarah	HUFF	William	22 Oct.	1853
Shirah	COOMBS	Benjamin	15 July	1815
Sophia	SMITH	Albert I.	30 June	1831
William	MACCULLOCH	Elizabeth	8 June	1800
William	TARBOX	Eley	22 May	1841



2 August 1936, Yeaddis, Ky. from LILLIE ADAMS

Will write to answer your letter in regard to my father SOLOMON ADAMS. My father died on the 3rd day of August 1936 at a ripe old age. He was 91 years old and was very feeble. My father was borned in Letcher Co. Ky. in the year of 1845. And my grandfather moved to Perry Co., Ky. when my father was 10 years old. My fathers grandfather came from North Carolina. And my grandfathers name was JOHN ADAMS. His pet name was CAJER JOHN and my grandmother's name was BETSEY MULLINS before she was married. My great grandmother was a SIMPSON. My mother was a HAMILTON, was raised in Scott County, Va., her decent came from "Mosouri". I am 53 years old and am my fathers baby...etcetera. signed LILLIE ADAMS *The scribe had a masculine handwriting. Likely he was LILBOURN ADAMS. He later added the names of his grandfather's children: NANCY, LETTIE, NELSON, BENJAMIN, JOHN, SOLOMON, BETSEY, JINIE and DIANAH. This family of MICAJAH (Cager) JOHN ADAMS appears on page 131, 1850 Census of Letcher Co. JINIE (Jane) and DIANAH do not appear.* WERE THEY MARRIED? OR WERE THEY BORN AFTER 1850? Write: Dorothy A. Griffith, 9514 Minerva Ave., St. Louis, Missouri 63114

Letter from JTA Collection, Reel 5, Box 101.

JERRY G. ADAMS, TREASURER OF A ROCKPORT, ILL. BUSINESS IN 1929 WROTE:

"The other day the bible of JAMES ADAMS JR. was given my daughters. With the bible were the pictures of ISREAL ADAMS and HARRIET his wife. The bible was printed in Edinburgh by Alexander Kincaid in 1787.

JAMES ADAMS JR. was born Feb. 5, 1759. His first wife was consumed by fire, Sept. 25 1782 in the 25 year of her age.
SARAH ADAMS, my 2 wife died Mar. 9, 1796, in her 32 year.
EDNAH ADAMS, my 3 wife was born Oct. 31, 1769, was married to me August 20, 1796.
CHRISTOPHER ADAMS was born Jan. 29, 1785.
JAMES ADAMS was born June 16, 1797
NANCE ADAMS was born Oct. 19, 1798
EDNAH ADAMS was born Nov. 16, 1800
ISREL ALLYN ADAMS was born July 31, --
JEREMIAH ADAMS was born Mar. 8, --
My father died first April 1807 in the 74 yr. of his age.
My mother died Feb. 19, 1820, in the 81 year of her age.
We have always thought that Ednah his third wife was an ALLYN of Groton, Conn.

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BUREAU OF PENSIONS, WASHINGTON, D.C. (NOW THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES) SENT FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO JAMES TAYLOR ADAMS IN 1929...

JONATHAN ADAMS enlisted in 1778 in Trenton, N.J., served as a private in Captains Plunkett's and Erasmus Gillis' Companies, Colonel Moylan's Fourth Regt. of Dragoons, Captain Heard's Company, Colonel Bland's Rgt., was at siege of York and served to close of the war. Moved from N.J. to Harrison Co., Va. in 1796. Was allowed pension while a resident of Harrison Co. Va. June 15, 1818 when aged 55 yrs. He died April 21, 1835.
Was married to MARGARET -- in 1791 in Trenton N.J. She was allowed pension on her application executed Oct. 2, 1843 while a resident of Barbour (formerly Harrison) Co.,Va., aged 72 years.
Their children:
MARY, b. Jan. 12, 1792, m. -- REED.
SARY (SARAH), b. April 30, 1795
DAVID, b. March 12, 1798
ANNE, B. August 15, 1807
MARGET, b. May 22, 1803
WILLIAM, b. Sept. 1, 1805
TEBBYTHIA (TABITHA), b. August 15, 1807
EDY (EDIE), b. Feb. 15, 1809
IRENY (IRENA), b. Jan. 22, 1811
The following names are also on record:
ISACK TYSON, b. Jan. 12, 1814
HYRAM TRIBBEL, b. July 4, 1823

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IN 1933 FROM HAROLD, KENTUCKY CAME:----------

I have Grandfather Adams family bible but the dates are so dim they cannot all be read. Great grandfather's name was BARTHOLOMEW and Grandfather's name was WILLIAM D., he was born in Tazewell County Virginia, 1814

WILLIAM D. ADAMS m. NANCY FORTNER, Oct. 30, 1832. Their children were:

WASHINGTON,	b. Feb. 23, 1834
ELGIN	b. Oct. 2, 1839
NANCY	b. Feb. 26, 1836
JAMES R.	b. June 12, 1843
MARTHA JANE	b. April 8, 1845
ELIZABETH	b. Jan. 12, 1838
RODA S.	b. Nov. 22, 1847
SARAH C.	b. Feb. 7, 1850

JOHN H. b. June 27, 1852
ROBERT B. b. Feb. 28, 1854
SAMUEL H. b. Nov. 10, 1855
FRANKLIN B. b. Jan. 2, 1858
REBECCA V. b. illegible
ROBERT B. d. Feb. 15, 1918 jta 1:89/3

DEAR ADAMS ADDENDA, 1972
Today I went digging in the genealogical section of a neighboring town, and I found a treasure! The first years' copies of 'Adams Addenda'! At first I thought 'Oh, hum, another "THE JOHN ADAMS INFO SHEET". But, lo and behold!! It's for us lowly Adams hunters too! Excuse all the exclamation points, but it is a small indication of the elation I feel at this moment. I have searched long and wearily for some connection to an Adams line for my JAMES ADAMS, JR. of Halifax Co., Virginia----maybe now I can find one. It was so very exciting to find someone had made an inquiry about an Adams in Halifax Co.-perhaps- just perhaps, there is someone else working on that line---- somewhere. Mrs. Frances L. Blaisdell, 524 Sioux Lane, San Jose, Calif. 95123

JAMES ADAMS JR. b. 18 April 1805, Va., m. 15 Dec. 1832 Halifax Co. Va., d. 8 June 1859, Weakley Co., Tn.
son of JAMES ADAMS.
WIFE: SUSAN L. MARTIN, dau. of THOMAS MARTIN b. 26 Apr. 1813, Va., d. 4 Dec. 1872, Weakley, Tn.
CHILDREN:

MARTHA F., 13 Nov. 1833, Va., d. 1837.
THOMAS M., 8 July 1836, Va., m. MARTHA T. SOMERS, 15 Sept. 1862, d. 15 Dec. 1919.
MARY DRUCILLA, 10 Nov. 1838, Tn., m. JAMES H. BLAKEMORE JR., 12 Nov. 1854, d. 1889.
ELIZABETH J., 2 July 1840, m. ALLEN D. ADAMS, 9 Sept. 1858, d. 5 July 1898.
WILLIAM A., 2 Mar. 1842, m. UNITY ANN ADAMS, 14 Feb. 1861, d. 10 June 1864.
MALINDA C., 8 Nov. 1843, m. CHARLES TEMPLETON 15 Jan. 1861, d. 11 Aprl. 1930.
AMANDA C., 24 June 1846, m. JOSEPH N. COOK on 4 Dec. 1867, d. 5 Jan. 1923.
SUSAN F., 8 Jan. 1848, unm., d. Feb. 1875.
JAMES M., 14 Dec. 1849, m. SUSAN R. MARTIN on 25 Dec. 1878, d. 7 Mar. 1940.
JOHN QUINCY., 2 Jan. 1852, m. NANNIE K. WAGGENER, 19 Aprl. 1882, d. Dec. 1935.
C. COLUMBUS, 11 June 1854, m. EMMALINE BLAKEMORE, 11 June 1878, d. 17 June 1934.
VIRGINIA E., 6 Oct. 1858, m. G. WESLEY ROWLET 23 Dec. 1885, d. 16 July 1943.

FROM LAND COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ANNAPOLIS,, MARYLAND, A REPLY TO JAMES T. ADAMS in 1926.

"The names mentioned in the will of JOHN ADAMS are: RICHARD, THOMAS, RANDOLPH GREENFIELD, wife ELIZABETH. Also, JOHN LUKE and GEORGE ADAMS.
He left a tract called "Nailors Range" to RICHARD ADAMS. We are unable to tell you what disposition RICHARD made of this land. A RICHARD ADAMS left a will in 1761, mentioning a son SAMUEL and a daughter ELIZABETH.
You will have to examine the Land Records of Prince George for transfers. These records are located at Upper Marlboro. As for the tract called "Birmingham" or "Birmington" the same thing applies.
There are some forty-nine wills under the name of Adams. An off hand estimate of their cost would be $150.00. *(THIS WAS IN 1926???)*
(signed) Arthur Trader, Chief Clerk.
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WILL OF EDWARD ADAMS OF SUFFOLK COUNTY, MASSACHUSETTS, DONATED BY BENJAMIN RICHARDSON, JR., 4 FAIRGREEN LN., OLD GREENWICH, CONN.,
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IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN...The Ninetheenth Day of May in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred fifteen I Edward Adams of Medfield in the County of Suffolk in his Majesty's Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England husbandman being antient in year and under many infirmities of body but of perfect calling to mind the Mortallity of my body and knowing it is appointed to men once to dye do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament That so to Say First of all I Give and Recommend my Soul into the hands of God who gave it and my Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in Decent and Christian manner and as Touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me in this life I Give Demise and Dispose of in the following manner. Item my present wife being provided for before marriage by agreement I do order that all my Just Debts and other necessary Charges be answered before any Division of my Estate be made and as for my son JONATHAN ADAMS and my son JOHN ADAMS I do will and bequeath to them such lands and Estate which formerly I gave to them by Deeds and as for my son EDWARD ADAMS I do give and bequeath to him such moveable estate and money which formerly he had of me to be his full portion, and as for my remaining Estate in housing lands and moveable estate whatsoever I do Order the same to be Equally Divided into Nine Equal parts throughout all my house and lands all my moveable Estate and I do will to the Children of my son ELIASHIB ADAMS deceased two shares of the said Nine Shares, and to my son JAMES ADAMS and my son HENRY ADAMS I do will to them and each of them Two Shares of the said Nine Shares and to my Daughter LYDIA DANIEL and my daughter SARAH TURNER and my daughter MEHITABLE HAXEN I do Will to them and each of them one Share apeice to each and every of them of the said Nine shares all my said Remaining Estate shall be in said Manner Divided to my son JAMES ADAMS and HENRY ADAMS and the Children of my son ELIASHIB ADAMS deceased and the said my three named Daughters to them their heirs and assign forever and I do make and Constitute my said son JONATHAN ADAMS and my said son JAMES ADAMS Executors of this my last Will and Testament utterly revoking all other Will and Lagacies and Executors whatsoever Ratifying and Confirming this my last Will and Testement and no other. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year Above written.

(his mark) EDWARD ADAM

Witnesses: JOHN ADAMS Cordwainer MICHAEL BULLER, HENRY ADAMS Examined by

JOS. MARION

PROBATE of Will and Letter #3797, County of Suffolk, Massachusetts Bay in New England. Page 225. Dated 3 December 1716

PHOTO COPY OF ABOVE WILL AND RECORD OF PROBATE AND INVENTORY DONATED TO ADAMS ADDENDA.

(THE WIFE OF EDWARD IS REPUTED TO BE LYDIA.. LYDIA ROCKWOOD? OR LYDIA PENNIMAN? It is an age old mystery...can you answer it?..... Send a copy of your answer to Addenda and another to BENJAMIN P. RICHARDSON, JR., 4 Fairgreen Lane, Old Greenwich, Conn. 06870

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JACOB ADAMS (1752-1833) VIRGINIA TO NORTH CAROLINA. SOME MISSOURI DESCENDANTS.

SUBMITTED BY LARRY ADAMS, 913 BLOSSOM STREET
BAKERSFIELD, CALIF. 93306

JACOB ADAMS b. ca 1752 in Va., d. Oct. 1833, Wilkes Co. N.C. On 7 Jan. 1777 in Rowan Co. N.C. he m. MARY TOWSON (1756-1823).

CHILDREN:
1. ABRAHAM, b. ca 1778, Wilkes, N.C.
2. ISAAC, b. ca 1780, "
3. JACOB, b. ca 1782, "
4. SPENCER, b. ca 1784 "
5. JOHN*, b. 20 Apr. 1792, "
6. ELIZABETH, b. ca 1794, " , m. a BOTTS

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JOHN* ADAMS, b. 20 Apr. 1792, d. 29 June 1870, Johnson Co. Mo., m. #1 ABIGAIL GILL 4th Feb. 1813 in Wilkes Co. N.C., #2 PEGGY EVAN on 3 Dec. 1853. (#1 died 15 June 1849).

CHILDREN:
1. DANIEL (JUDGE)* 18 Dec 1813 in N.C., d. 1870, m. #2 SUSAN MCCREARY 18 Jan 1840
2. SUSANNAH, 27 Nov 1815,
3. ELIZABETH, 22 Jan 1818
4. THOMAS, 10 Mar 1820, m. SARAH ANN
5. ABRAHAM, 29 July 1822
6. JACKSON, 24 Sept 1824, m. BETTY MARKS
7. MARGARETTE, 7 Jan 1827
8. HUGH, 5 May 1829, d. 5 Sept 1901, m. MARGARET E. ADAMS, 15 Jan. 1857.
9. JANE, 7 Mar 1832
10. GEORGE WASHINGTON, 5 June 1835, d. 1862.

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DANIEL (JUDGE) ADAMS, data above...exception ...date of death given as 1892 on Group Sheet. Bur. Adams Memorial Cemetery, Johnson Co., Mo. Wife given as SUSAN MCCRARY, b. 17 Nov. 1821, d. 3 June 1911, same cemetery.

CHILDREN:
1. JOHN ALBERT, 16 Oct. 1841, m. DOROTHY M.
2. ANN ELIZABETH, 9 Mar. 1843, m. WM.DENTON
3. WILLIAM PRESTON, 29 May 1844, m.JOS. MCC.
4. JANE ABIGAIL, 6 Jan 1846, d. 1917 unm
5. CHRISTINA C., 14 Mar 1847, m. ALX.MCCOY
6. ELIJAH M., 3 May 1848, m. LOUIE SMITH
7. SUSAN E., 25 Nov 1849, d. 1920, unm.
8. CLARA EM., 15 Aug 1851, m. WM.THORNTON
9. THOMAS R., 11 Dec 1852, m. KATE GOODRICH
10. MARY FRAN., 12 Dec 1854, d. 1865, unm
11. ROBERT H., 24 Dec 1856, d 1920, unm.
12. JAMES LINN, 28 Sept 1859, m. H.GERSTMANN

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TO SHARE OUR GOOD FORTUNE

Pursuit of court and property records as a major source of satisfaction to genealogists was urged by Ronald A. Bremer of Salt Lake City, a dynamic speaker before the September meeting of the St.Louis Genealogical Society.

GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH, A Jurisdictional Approach was cited as "best book I ever read". (Authors are Jones, Eakle and Christensen and can be ordered from Genealogical Copy Service 1010 W. 1500 South, Woods Cross, Utah 84087)

Advising escallation to the Appellate and the Supreme Court records to take care of those persons of counties with records burned, the speaker declared that our ancestor's lives revolved around the courts. And he added that the Probate Packet contains valuable information the will only suggests.

"Above all, document your records!" he said, "to avoid being a name gatherer and assuming a pedigree." He stated there are twenty-five different ways to collect data for a family here since 1620.

With frequent pauses for audience participation, Mr. Bremer established that the American Antiquarian Society Library has the largest genealogical holdings in the U. S. and warned they will not answer correspondence. The New York Public Library Map collection is largest with the Library of Congress Library and Map Division taking second place on both counts.

The fifteen Federal Record Centers in the U.S were discussed with comment that records of those states of the Louisiana Purchase area are held in the Washington National Records Center, 4205 Suitland Rd.,Suitland, Md.20409.

It is to be hoped the speaker's knowledge was as infectious as his enthusiasm; in tribute we vow to shun the spiral notebook, his anathema.

-RUTH ROBINSON SEIBEL-

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GEOGRAPHICAL ADAMS

RUTH ROBINSON SEIBEL

Twelve of our United States have counties with name of Adams. As well may be expected those contained in Idaho, Illinois[1], Indiana, Iowa, Mississippi, Nebraska, Ohio, Pennsylvania[2], Washington and Wisconsin pay tribute to the Presidential family name.

An exception is Adams County in Colorado[3],created in 1902 from part of Arapahoe County and named for Governor ALVA ADAMS. One unincorporated town in this county is called Adams City.

Perhaps indirectly paying tribute to the Presidential family name in Adams County in North Dakota created in 1907 and named for a John Quincy Adams, general land and townsite agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St.Paul Railway.

LAND OWNERSHIP MAPS, A CHECKLIST sold by the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402, 70¢

1-#99 has Adams County, Illinois 1889, map in six parts.

2-#696 Adams Co., Pa. (185-?)
#697 Adams Co., Pa. 1858
#824 York & Adams Cos., Pa. 1821

3-# 53 Portions of Arapahoe Co., Colorado 1889 with Jefferson and Boulder Counties in four parts.

**There are some county maps indexed.*

ANQUESTORS

Need par., b.p., etc.,. WILLIAM ADAMS, b. ca 1719. Was in West Dunstable, Mass. (Hollis, N.H.) 1739. Marr. MARY SPEAR, 29 May 1744 at Lunenburg, Mass. *(Children and known info in article printed elsewhere in this issue.)* Mrs. Venice Guyer, Rt. 2, Box 729, Coos Bay, Ore. 97420.

Am searching for par. of ROBERT ADAMS, b. 2 Aug. 1777, in or near Weathersfield, Cn. marr. NANCY ANDRESS, 1802, Jefferson Co.NY He d. 1849, bur. north of Redwood, N.Y. Was his father JOHN ADAMS in 1790 census of Weathersfield? ...Mrs. William Day, 675 Maple Ave., Haddonfield, N.J. 08033

What was the place and date of the m. of WILLIAM ADAMS and SARAH? *(First child b. in Tn. 1799).* What was pl & dt of m. of JOHN ADAMS and SARAH? *(First ch. b. Tn.)* Need dt & nm of bride who m. ABSALOM ADAMS ca 1827 near E.Tn. Contact: Henry Welch Adams, 2032 McLendon Av. N.E., Atlanta, Ga., 30307-

Need info on ELIJAH ADAMS b. ca 1819 Ky. & wf MARY (POLLY) SMITH, b ca 1822 Ky. Was his fa STEPHEN ADAMS b ca 1775 Tn? ELIJAH had bros SPENCER, MOSES, STEPHEN & JESSE. Miss Mary E. Adams, 1214 West University, Springfield, Mo. 65804

MARY (POLLY) ADAMS b. ca 1815 Ky., m SAMUEL CORNETT, 1832, Perry Co. Ky. Her par were MOSES & MARY GARLAND ADAMS. Will exchange data. Miss Mary E. Adams, 1214 West University, Springfield, Mo. 65804

My great grandmother ELIZABETH CARLOTTA HOLMES b 1859 in Ill. Her par were JAMES & REBECCA HOLMES (she b 1839 Baldwin Co. Ga.) Reputed to be desc of JOHN QUINCY ADAMS----- please write if you know how related....Mrs. June Locke, 4910 Windermere Dr., Newark, Ca. 94560

Need par of RICHARD KEAN ADAMS b 1 Nov 1780 Cumberland Co. Pa.; d 1818 Nashville, Tn.; m (where?) 27 Oct 1801 ELIZABETH WOODS of Ireland; Ch: ALFRED A. (b 1804 Pa.), NANCY (b 1812 Pa); JOHN MARSHALL (b 1814 Fayette Co.Ky. m PRINCELLA MORTON.) Mrs. John H. Bryan, 524 Calhoun St., West Point, Ms.39773

ABRAHAM ADDAMS b ca 1758 said to have m #1 MARY QUIGLEY, #2 ELIZABETH _____. May be fa of RICHARD K. above. How rel to ABRAHAM ADAMS Bk G pg 4, 1803, Cumberland Co. Pa.will? Mrs. John H. Bryan, 524 Calhoun St., West Point, Ms. 39773

NEHEMIAH ADAMS b 25 Jan 1785 Northbridge Ma. Need dt of d & bur. When & where did his wid SALLY m RUFUS ROCKWOOD? Mrs. R.J. SMILAX, 934 Geneva St.,Toledo, O. 43609

WILLIAM ADAMS b Ma ca 1786, d Cattaraugus Co NY 1872; m LUCY WAITE 1821 Freedom NY (b Vt 1801, d aft 1872). Known ch: WARREN, NORMAN, CUMMINGS, MARY ROSETTA, FRANKLIN, RUSSELL H, NANCY E. & DAVID P. Want all data & anc of both WILLIAM & LUCY WAITE. Mrs. R. C. Peterson, 1711 Lincoln Ln., Rome, NY. 13440

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Can you shed any light on a conflict between two sources as to ancestory of MAYHEW ADAMS, a fifth generation descendant of HENRY ADAMS of Braintree, both of which are direct ancestors of mine?

Specifically, the Adams History by Andrew N. Adams, published in 1898, gives ELISHA, ELISHA, ENS. EDWARD, HENRY, As the line of descent to MAYHEW. While Bank History of Martha's Vineyard gives the line of descent as ELIASHIB, EDWARD, EDWARD, HENRY.

Since Banks gives the Adams History as a reference in his book, it is my theory he was misled by a misplaced asterick on page 508 of the Adams history. At the top of the pg. is listed: *iv. Elisha, Jr. b. in Bristol, Sept. 11, 1797, m. RELIANCE MAYHEW.....* Then, on the same page, follows children of EDWARD JR. (Ens. Edward, Henry) and ELIZABETH WALLEY ADAMS of which the fifth is..... *ELISHA, b. in Bristol, May 9, 1699.** At the bottom of the same page under a line is this footnote... **Given as ELIASHIB who m. 18 Feb. 1729, RELIANCE MAYHEW...*

Was the asterick keyed to the wrong ELISHA, or did RELIANCE MAYHEW have a very busy day?

MAYHEW ADAMS m REBECCA MAYHEW and their second child, RELIANCE b 15 Nov 1752, m. WILLIAM NICHOLS, my earliest known NICHOLS anc. Will exch. Hugh Nichols, Bx 147, Conrad, Ia.

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MICHAEL ADAMS b 1829 Dublin Ire; enl 21 Sept 1864 Ohio Inf, Co B, 88th Regt, Camp Chase.; m INDI ANN DAVIS, 27 Jan 1873, Henry Co Ia.; Ch: CHARLES D, WILLIAM C, JACE C, & FRANCIS M.; d 5 Feb 1880 Villisca Ia in plot owned by JOSEPH ADAMS. Any info ? Mrs. Lynn Bender, 3144 Y St., Lincoln, Nb. 68503

JOHNNY D. ADAMS was my great grandfa, b. 8 Jan 1829...was bp Ky? Wf ELIZABETH A ANDERSON. He d 1915 in Jones Co. Tx. Write.. Jane Adams Archer, Route 2, Lockney, Tx.7924

FANNIE or FRANCES LEE ADAMS, b 26 July 1860 need her bp & par. M. to CAPERS CLIFTON MOFFETT, 17 Nov 1878, Rockwell Co. Tx. She d 1885. Jane A. Archer, Rt. 2, Lockney, Tx. 79241

BRYANT ADAMS b Va 1756. Need par. Mov with par to Johnston Co NC, may have m a RIDLEY; mov to Montgomery Co Ga (1830 cn), back to NC aft 1836. Had a s BRYANT whose dau JULIA m JESSE JONES in Montgomery Co Ga. Filed for Rev War pens. Was he s of JOHN ADAMS who liv near Tom's Creek Va? Ms. Josie Baird, Box 567, Rotan, Tx. 79546

DANIEL W. ADAMS, b 28 Sept 1786, m. 30 July 1809, d. 17 June 1875. Wife ESTHER KEITH, b. 27 Aug 1790, d. 4 June 1875. CH: DANIEL (1810-1882, m. HANNAH MOORE), BENJAMIN (1812 1851, m. MARY HOLMES), ESTHER C (1814-1875, m. RAYMOND EATON), MARTHA DELILA (1816-1874, m. JOHN SMITH), CLARISSA M. (1818-1839, m. JAMES ORCUTT), JOHN QUINCY (1820-1853, m.HANNAH DUTCHER), MICHAEL M. (1822-1875, n.m.), JOSEPH M. (1825-1894, m. RACHEL DUTCHER), SIBBIL (1830-1851, m. ISAAC LETTS). Ms.VELMA JOHNSON, Box 139, Guernsey, Wyo. 82214

WILLIAM ADAMS, b. 7 May 1827 in Ky.(where?), m. MARY (POLLY) DAVIS (when & where), both d. 1907 in Calif. 3 known ch: WILLIAM b 1863 Ark., SADIE OR SUDIE b 1866 Ark., THOMAS JEFFERSON b 1870, Ark. Write: Harry Adams, 6704 50th St., Sacto, Ca.

FEATHERGAIL ADAMS OF VIRGINIA AND KENTUCKY..

ALSO CALLED "FOTHERGILL"

CONTRIBUTED BY MRS. LEON E. CAMPBELL, 3369 LOCKMOOR LANE, DALLAS, TEXAS 75220

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Born, probably in Culpeper County, Virginia, 4 Feb. 1755. Son of ABSOLEM ADAMS, name of mother unknown but think her surname could have been Feathergail.

The subject married ELIZABETH "BETSY" ca 1773 in Virginia. Date and place unknown. In Fauquier Co. Va. Deed Book A:451, 12 January 1803 name of wife is given as "Betsey". In 1774, same county an earlier deed gives her name as "Elizabeth". So we know she was wed ca 1773 and died after 1803--but before the year of 1807.

Feathergail was a Baptist minister, and a wagoneer in the Revolutionary War from Virginia. He died in Garrard Co., Ky., on seventh of November 1807.

Their children were:

1. NANCY, ca 1774, Va., m. JOHN HUTCHERSON, 24 Mar 1792, Madison Co., Ky., d. bef 1821, Garrard Co. Ky.
2. MARGARET (PEGGY), ca 1775 Va., m. BEVERLY JOS. BROWN.
3. WILLIAM (DEVIL BILL), 16 June 1776 Va., #1 PEGGY/POLLY LONG, #2 REBECCA LAWRENCE.
4. ELIZABETH (BETSY), 27 Apr. 1778 Va., m. Mr. HUGISON
5. VIRGINIA (JENNIE), 20 Aug. 1780 Va., m. NICHOLAS SMITH in 1797, d. 1804
6. JUDITH (JUDA) 16 Jan 1783, m. her cousin WALTER (WALT) ADAMS, 1800.
7. ABSOLEM, 27 March 1785, m. ELIZABETH SLAYTON, 1807, d. 1849.
8. MARY (POLLY) 14 Apr. 1787, m. her cousin REV. REUBEN ADAMS.
9. KATHERINE (KATE) 23 Aug. 1789, m. THOMAS BROWN, 1808.
10. JOHN (JACK), 27 April 1791, m. CATHERINE SAMPSON, 1812.
11. MARTHA (PATSY), 16 Jan. 1793, m. JOHN RADCLIFF, 1808.

(ADAMS ADDENDA would like to learn where documentation can be found not only to substantiate above information but to add to it so the life of Feathergail can be reconstructed for our readers. In our own family research we have found NANCY a "nickname" of AGNES, JENNIE of JANE, JUDA a true name, and JACK never used for JOHN but for JACKSON... Each family is unique and we are wondering if you'd like to share unusual family names with our readers.)

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Hopefully someday we, or someone, will identify the parents and origion of GEORGE ADAMS of Pa. who m. KATHERINE DIXON in Phila., Pa. on 15 March 1727. Will it be Adams Addenda? W.G.Scroggins, 300 E. 40th St., 22C, New York, New York 10016

JAMES EBENEZAR ADAMS, b. 22 Mar 1850 in Tn., (WHERE?) Both par b in Tn. (Where?) Wife, MARY KNOX (m. where?) He d. Okla. 1938. Had 3 sis JANE, FRITZ & NANCY (any others?) You may write Wanda Adams, Route 1, Maysville, Oklahoma, 73057.

PHILIP ADAMS, b. in Pa. 18 Feb 1822, m. MARY JANE THOMPSON (b. Ohio 1835). Need places each liv in Pa., Oh., In., & Il. Mrs. Melvin Henderson, Rt. 2, Box 303, Van Buren,Ar.

ALEXANDER ADAMS, b ca 1786 in Pa., m. SARAH FISH (b ca 1812). 1850 Cn, Butler Co., Pa., listed as: ALEX 64, SARAH 38, ROBERT 17, WM B. 12, HENRY H. 9, FRANCES 8, JOHN F. G. 3. Who were his parents? Who were hers? Need ANY info. Mrs. Donald E. Young, 41359 White crest Ct., Fremont, Ca. 94538

WILLIAM ADAMS, appears in 1860 Cn of Butler Co. Pa. On that date he was 95, wife ELIZABETH 92, with EMMA JANE 8, WILLIAM 4, and ELIZABETH F. 5, in same household. Can any one furnish info about this family? Was he the father of ALEXANDER above? Mrs. Donald E. Young, 41359 Whitecrest Ct., Fremont Ca.

Need par & sibling of PHILIP ADAM(S) b 1822 Pa & his wf MARY JANE THOMPSON b in Ohio. They liv Il., In. 1860's. Also Ar & Ok. How was Philip related to the following who took oaths in Phila Pa 1749-54: PHILIP, PETER, JOHANNES & JACOB ADAMS. Will exch info... Mrs. Melvin Henderson, Rt 2, Bx 303, Van Buren, Ark. 72956

Who was husb of NANCY ADAMS? Her will proven ca 1817 Halifax Co. Va., name her bro. WILLIAM P ADAMS as guardian of her son SAMUEL F. ADAMS. Will wit: JOHN & ESTHER TURNER ADAMS; John believed s of JOHN & SUSAN WOOD ADAMS. Wm.P. may have been bro of John & s of another John who d ca 1769 Halifax Co., Va. Gordon S. Adams, 1247 Balboa Ct. Sunnyvale, Calif. 94086 *(Note to Gordon: Should further info come to light please contact us as we plan to print your "Another Adams Lineage Problem" in a future Addenda.)*

Do you know of a JANE ADAMS who m a Mr.FORD & had a dau RHODA who m CHARLES ROBBINS? The latter liv in Allentown NJ in early 1800's. *(Does 1850 cn of NJ give bpl of Rhoda?)* Be happy to get 'any' clues. Mrs. Helen R. Burns, P.O. 2552, White City, Ore. 97501

JOHN ADAMS m FRANCES HAYDEN (when & where?), Ch: JOHN 1807, Gaspe', P. Quebec, Canada; PHILLIPPE; JOSEPH 1812; PIERRE 1811; THOMAS 1815; Felix 1819; JACQUES 1821; MATT ca 1824 Could this family have sought refuge from American 1770's? All clues gratefully ac knowledged. Mrs. J. M. Garmon, 550 W. Lincoln, EscondiDo, Ca. 92026.

Does anyone know of an ADAMS COVINGTON alliance, anywhere? Also need par of MARY ELIZABETH ADAMS b 20 Jan 1850 in the south. Mrs. Nell Havemann, 5953 Daisy Ave., 29 Palms, Calif. 92277

Looking for SUSANNAH ADAMS parent, m SOLOMON YOKIN (YOCUM) 1793 Jefferson Co., Tn. Also have another SUSANNAH ADAMS who m a VANCE in Mo. Mrs. Aleta Jones, N. Joplin Apts -4, Pittsburg, Kans. 66762

WHO was JAMES ADAMS who m. MARY MONTGOMERY, liv Camden Distr., Craven Co., Waxhaws, S.C. d. Hancock Co. Ga. David Adams III, 2500 Canterbury Rd. Birmingham, Ala. 35223

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Your Co-editors met while helping form the St. Louis Genealogical Society almost five years ago. We have taken an active interest in that society and have watched its growth to almost five hundred members today. We are very proud of being associated with this vital and productive organization. We are equally proud of our Life Membership in that society.

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Very Sincerely yours, Ruth Robinson Kibel and Dorothy Amburgey Griffith

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THE ADAMS FAMILY IN AMERICA 1790

By James Taylor Adams

THE constitutional requirement under which the first Federal enumeration of the inhabitants of the United States of America was made is contained in Article I, section 2, and provides that—

> "Representatives and direct taxes shall be apportioned among the several States which may be included within this Union according to their respective numbers, which shall be determined by adding to the whole number of free persons, including those bound to service for a number of years, and excluding Indians not taxed, three-fifths of all other persons. The actual enumeration shall be made within three years after the first meeting of the Congress of the United States, and within every subsequent term of ten years, in such manner as they shall by law direct."

This provision was embodied in the Constitution for political reasons wholly, and with no thought of providing for a system of collecting and preserving the statistical data so beneficial to the genealogist and historian of these latter times. It was evidently the framers of the Constitution contemplated that the two-fold purpose of the enumeration would insure a reasonably accurate return of the population on the part of the individual States, the temptation to exaggerate for purposes of representation in Congress being offset by the fact that, in such cases, the apportionment of direct taxes would be correspondingly increased. It is true, nevertheless, that under this constitutional requirement the United States was the first country to provide for a regular periodical, and systematical, enumeration of its inhabitants; but in the modern sense of the term it could not be rightly called a census, and, as a matter of fact the word "census" does not form a part of the organic act providing for the first enumeration, passed at the second session of the First Congress.

By this act, which was approved March 1, 1790, the marshals of the several judicial districts of the United

States were required to cause the number of the inhabitants in their respective districts to be taken, omitting Indians not taxed, and distinguishing free persons, including those bound to service for a term of years, from all others. The act also required the marshals to distinguish the sex and color of free persons and free males of sixteen years and upwards from those under that age; in the latter case, undoubtly, for the purpose of ascertaining the military and industrial strength of the nation.

The First Enumeration was to commence on the first Monday in August, 1790, and close within nine calendar months. The inquiries related to but six items, and called for the name of the head of the family and the number of persons in each family of the following descriptions: Free white males sixteen years of age and upward; free white males under sixteen years; free white females; other free persons; slaves.

The following tables have been compiled from data collected by a careful and painstaking search of the reports of this First Federal Enumeration and, with the exception of those for Virginia, are uniform. The first figure, or group of figures, following the name of the head of the family, represents the total number of free white males sixteen years of age and upward, including head of family; the second, free white males under sixteen years; the third, free white females; the fourth other free persons; the fifth, slaves; the sixth, or final group of figures show the total number of all persons belonging to the household, white or black, free or bound or slaves. Explanation of the Virginia tables will be found at the beginning of the Virginia section.

It will be noticed in these records that no tables appear for Delaware, Georgia, Kentucky, New Jersey and Tennessee. The returns from these states, also from Virginia, were destroyed during the War of 1812, and while some fragments may be in existance, they have not been found available for this work. Virginia was more fortunate than her sister states of Delaware, Georgia, Kentucky, New Jersey and Tennessee, inasmuch as there had been a state enumeration made of her inhabitants in the year 1782,

some of the belated returns being known as the "Census of 1784." This enumeration of the inhabitants of Virginia was incomplete, however, several of the county records being unaccounted for in the returns.

It will be well for those searching for the names of their Adams ancestors in the tables to bear in mind that the enumerations in the several states were all not made on the same day, in the same week or even in the same month. The marshal of one district may have completed his work before he in the adjoining district had commenced his. This condition allowed for two or more enumerators to list the same family where there had been emigration from one locality to another. While it is doubtful if there is to be found a duplication in the tables following, still it is possible.

CONNECTICUT

Fairfield County

Fairfield Town						
Nathaniel	1	2	5	0	2	10
Stephen	1	2	1	0	0	4
Ephraim	2	2	6	0	0	10
Stephen	1	1	3	0	1	6
Stephen	2	0	2	0	1	5
Nathan	1	0	3	0	1	5
Greenwich Town						
Joseph	1	2	2	0	0	5
John	1	3	2	0	0	6
Norwalk and Stamford Towns						
Aaron	1	3	2	0	0	6
Mary	1	0	2	0	0	3
Peter	1	1	2	0	0	4
Reading Town						
Joseph	3	1	2	0	0	6
Abraham	1	2	6	0	0	9
Weston Town						
Abel	1	2	3	0	0	6
Nathan	3	2	6	0	0	11
Squire	2	1	1	0	0	4
David	1	0	2	0	0	3
Silaman	1	3	2	0	0	6
Joshua	1	2	3	0	0	6
County Totals	26	29	55	0	5	115

Hartford County

Bristol Town						
Samuel	1	0	1	0	0	2
Samuel, Jr.	1	3	3	0	0	7
Luke	2	1	5	0	0	8
Elisha	1	0	1	0	0	2
Enfield Town						
Elijah	1	3	3	0	0	7
Granby Town						
Ephraim	1	0	1	0	0	2
Hartford Town						
William	1	0	6	0	1	8
Ebenezer	2	0	2	0	0	4
Simsbury Town						
Rodric	2	5	2	0	0	9
Abel	1	3	5	0	0	9
Matthew	1	1	3	0	0	5
William	1	2	6	0	0	9
Hosea	1	2	2	0	0	5
David	2	0	2	0	0	4
David, Jr.	1	0	2	0	0	3
Ezra	2	2	4	0	0	8
George	1	1	2	0	0	4
Sarah	2	0	6	0	0	8
Benjamin	2	1	5	0	0	8
Suffield Town						
Zeb	2	0	1	0	0	3
Zeb, II	1	1	1	0	0	3
Zadock	3	1	4	0	0	8
Zadock, II	1	0	2	0	0	3
Asabel	1	0	1	0	0	2
Samuel	3	2	5	0	0	10
Moses	2	1	2	0	0	5
Wethersfield Town						
Joseph	1	2	2	0	0	5
John	1	1	4	0	0	6
Amasa	1	3	3	0	0	7
Benjamin	4	1	7	0	0	12
Camp	2	1	7	0	0	10
James	1	2	3	0	0	6
Winsdor Town						
Silas	2	1	4	0	0	7
County Totals	51	40	107	0	1	199

Litchfield County

Litchfield Town

William	1	3	6	0	0	10
Daniel	1	0	2	0	0	3
Richard	3	3	5	0	0	11
John	1	4	4	0	0	9
Phineas	2	1	2	0	0	5
Andrew	2	1	5	0	0	8
Andrew	3	3	5	1	2	14

Washington Town

Benjamin	2	2	5	0	0	9
County Totals	15	17	34	1	2	69

New Haven County

New Haven City

John	1	1	2	0	0	4
Polly	0	0	2	0	0	2

Waterbury Town

Arael	1	0	1	0	0	2
William	2	0	2	0	0	4
William, II	2	2	2	0	0	6
Sebinus	1	1	3	0	0	5
John	1	2	5	0	0	8
Abraham	1	0	2	0	0	3
Ely	2	2	2	0	0	6

Woodbridge Town

Rebecca	0	0	1	0	0	1
County Totals	11	8	22	0	0	41

New London County

No Town Records

William	7	2	7	0	0	16
Asael	2	2	4	0	0	8
Daniel	1	2	2	0	0	5
Abraham	1	1	2	0	0	4
Simeon	1	4	6	0	0	11
Joseph	1	3	7	0	0	11
David	1	1	2	0	0	4
Samuel	3	0	4	0	0	7
John	1	0	2	0	0	3
David	1	0	1	0	0	2
Benjamin	1	0	2	0	0	3
Benjamin, II	1	0	2	0	0	3
Bela	1	0	1	0	0	2
David	1	1	3	0	0	5
Solomon	1	2	4	0	0	7

Samuel	2	0	2	0	0	4
County Totals	26	18	51	0	0	95

Tolland County

Somers Town

Solomon	1	1	4	0	0	6

Stafford Town

Solomon	1	1	1	0	0	3
County Totals	2	2	5	0	0	9

Windham County

Brookline Town

Peter	4	0	5	0	0	9
Philemon	3	3	3	0	0	9
Shubael	1	2	2	0	0	5
Noah	3	1	3	0	0	7
Ephraim	1	0	3	0	0	4
Abner	2	0	2	0	0	4

Canterbury Town

Nathan, Jr.	4	1	6	0	0	11
Roger, Jr.	2	0	4	0	0	6
Elihu, Jr.	3	2	4	0	0	9
Phineas	2	1	1	0	0	4
Levi	1	1	2	0	0	4
Parker	2	2	3	0	0	7
Bradford	1	2	4	0	0	7
Thomas, Sr.	2	1	3	0	0	6
Joseph	1	3	4	0	0	8
James	2	2	4	0	0	8
Timothy	2	1	3	0	0	6
Samuel	1	1	2	0	0	4
Elisha	2	1	3	0	0	6
John	3	3	7	0	0	13
Samuel	1	2	2	0	0	5
Ebenezer	1	3	4	0	1	9
Cornelius	1	5	6	0	0	12
William	1	1	3	0	0	5

Killingly Town

Abel	3	3	9	0	0	15
Abijah	3	1	3	0	0	7
Edward	1	2	2	0	0	5
Joseph	1	3	1	0	0	5

Mansfield Town

Lucy	2	1	3	0	1	7

Pomfret Town

Elihu	3	0	3	0	0	6
Noah	2	2	2	0	0	6

Voluntown Town

Stephen	3	2	2	0	0	7
William	1	1	1	0	0	3
Reubin	1	0	4	0	0	5
Silas	1	0	4	0	0	5

Windham Town

Asa	1	0	1	0	0	2
County Totals	68	53	118	0	2	241
State Totals	199	167	392	1	10	769

MAINE

Cumberland County

Durham Town

Andrew	1	1	5	0	0	7
Jacob	4	1	7	0	0	12

Falmouth Town

Moses	1	5	2	0	0	8
Jonathan	2	0	4	0	0	6

Gorham and Scarborough Towns

Joshua	1	4	4	0	0	9
Joshua, Jr.	1	0	0	0	0	1
Benjamin	4	1	2	0	0	7
County Totals	14	12	24	0	0	50

Hancock County

Ducktrap Town

David	2	0	0	0	0	2
Joshua	1	1	1	0	0	3

Isleborough Town

Thomas	1	0	0	0	0	1

Penobscot Town

Francis	1	1	3	0	0	5

Township Number One (Bucks)

Isaac	1	0	0	0	0	1
County Totals	6	2	4	0	0	12

Lincoln County

Boothbay Town

Samuel	3	3	3	0	0	9
Samuel, Jr.	1	1	3	0	0	5

Boxdoin Town

John	2	3	5	0	0	10
Samuel	1	1	3	0	0	5

Boxdoinham Town

John	1	3	4	0	0	8
Jeremiah	1	0	1	0	0	2
Nathan	1	2	3	0	0	6

Cushing Town

Richard	2	1	2	0	0	5

Horridgewock Town

Amos	2	2	5	0	0	9
Amos, Jr.	1	0	0	0	0	1
James	1	0	2	0	0	3
Abraham	1	0	0	0	0	1

Pownalborough Town

John	1	0	3	0	0	4

Rockmeeko Town

John	1	0	1	0	0	2

Sandy River Town

Moses	2	0	2	0	0	4
Solomon	2	1	3	0	0	6

Union Town

Joel	3	3	4	0	0	10
County Totals	26	20	44	0	0	90

York County

Arundel Town

John	1	1	2	0	0	4
James	1	3	4	0	0	8
James, Jr.	1	1	1	0	0	3
Benjamin	1	0	1	0	0	2

Berwick Town

Benjamin	1	1	4	0	0	6

Buxton Town

Stephen	1	1	1	0	0	3
William	2	3	2	0	0	7

Kittery Town

Mary	1	1	2	0	0	4
Mark	4	0	4	0	0	8
Daniel	1	1	3	0	0	5

Limerick Town

John	1	3	4	0	0	8

Sanford Town

John	1	1	2	0	0	4
Jonathan, Sr.	1	0	2	0	0	3
Jonathan	1	0	2	0	0	3

Washington Plantation

John	1	0	0	0	0	1
Rev. John	4	2	4	0	0	10

York Town

Ezekiel	1	2	4	0	0	7
Betsey	0	3	4	0	0	7
Nathaniel	1	0	1	0	0	2
William	1	1	2	0	0	4
County Totals	26	24	49	0	0	99
State Totals	72	58	121	0	0	251

MARYLAND

Ann Arundel County

No Town Records

Joshua	3	1	1	0	0	5
Sarah	1	1	7	0	0	9
County Totals	4	2	8	0	0	14

Baltimore County

Baltimore Town

Samuel	2	0	0	1	0	3
William	1	0	1	1	2	5
Captain	1	1	3	0	0	5
Alexander	3	3	3	0	0	9
James	1	0	1	0	0	2

Two Delaware Hundreds

George	1	1	2	1	0	5

Remainder of County

William	1	0	3	0	0	4
William	1	0	1	0	0	2
William	1	1	2	0	0	4
County Totals	12	6	16	3	2	39

Cecil County

West Nottingham Hundred

Mary	0	0	1	0	0	1
County Totals	0	0	1	0	0	1

Charles County

No Town Records

George	3	0	2	0	3	8
Henrietta	1	0	5	0	7	13
Ignatius	3	1	3	0	7	14
Richard	2	1	2	0	11	16
Benjamin	1	0	1	0	0	2
Samuel	1	1	0	0	4	6
Leonard	3	0	1	0	1	5
James	1	0	2	0	11	14
John	2	4	4	0	11	21
John, Jr.	1	0	2	0	2	5
John R.	1	0	1	0	12	14
Joseph	1	2	5	0	2	10
Zepha	1	3	3	0	0	7
Rhody	2	3	1	0	3	9
Charles	1	0	2	0	3	6
William	2	1	3	0	12	18
George	1	1	6	0	0	8
Richard, Sr.	1	5	1	0	0	7
County Totals	28	22	44	0	89	183

Dorchester County

No Town Records

George	1	0	4	0	0	5
Charles	1	2	2	0	5	10
Edward	5	1	2	0	2	10
County Totals	7	3	8	0	7	25

Frederick County

No Town Records

Andrew	3	1	5	0	4	13
Joseph	1	3	6	0	0	10
Martin	1	0	3	0	0	4
Thomas	1	1	4	0	0	6
Ann	0	0	2	0	0	2
Joseph	2	0	1	0	0	3
George	2	3	3	0	7	15
Valentine	2	2	2	0	1	7
Jeremiah	1	0	4	0	0	5
Stophel	1	2	3	0	0	6
George	1	1	1	0	0	3
County Totals	15	13	34	0	12	74

Hartford County

No Town Record

John	1	4	2	0	0	7

John	1	4	2	0	0	7
County Totals	2	8	4	0	0	14

Montgomery County

No Town Records

Edward	1	5	3	0	0	9
Alexander	2	0	2	0	1	5
Stephen	2	3	4	0	4	13
John	2	1	2	0	0	5
County Totals	7	9	11	0	5	32

Prince Georges County

No Town Records

George	1	0	3	1	0	5
George, Jr.	1	3	2	0	0	6
Richard	1	4	5	0	12	22
Margaret	0	0	1	1	7	9
William	1	4	3	0	0	8
James	1	2	5	0	0	8
John	1	0	0	0	5	6
County Totals	6	13	19	2	24	64

St. Marks County

No Town Records

Solomon	1	6	3	0	1	11
John	2	0	3	0	4	9
Abraham	2	0	3	0	4	9
Thee	0	0	2	0	0	2
County Totals	5	6	11	0	9	31

Talbot County

No Town Records

Moses	1	1	1	1	0	4
County Totals	1	1	1	1	0	4

Washington County

No Town Records

George	1	0	1	0	0	2
William	2	1	2	0	0	5
Jacob	1	0	0	10	0	11
George	2	2	4	0	0	8
John	1	3	2	0	0	6
John	2	2	2	0	0	6
John	2	2	2	0	0	6

John, Sr.	1	0	1	0	0	2
John, Jr.	1	4	3	0	0	8
County Totals	13	14	17	10	0	54

Worcester County

No Town Records

Jacob	1	0	1	0	5	7
County Totals	1	0	1	0	5	7
State Totals	101	97	175	16	153	542

MASSACHUSETTS

Barnstable County

Barnstable Town

Ariel	1	3	1	0	0	5
Edward	2	0	3	0	0	5
Obadiah	1	1	2	0	0	4

Sandwich Town

Heman	1	1	2	0	0	4
County Totals	5	5	8	0	0	18

Berkshire County

Alford Town

William	1	1	4	0	0	6
Jonathan	1	1	5	0	0	7
John	2	1	4	0	0	7
John, Jr.	1	1	4	0	0	6

Becket Town

Barnabas	3	1	3	0	0	7
Ebenezer	2	4	5	0	0	11

Bethelem Town

William	2	1	4	0	0	7

Egremont Town

Joshua	1	0	3	0	0	4

Great Barrington Town

James	1	2	2	0	0	5
Ralph	1	1	1	0	0	3

Lenox Town

John	1	5	2	0	0	8

Mount Washington Town

Jonathan	1	3	4	0	0	8

New Barlborough Town

Davenport	1	3	8	0	0	12
Zebediah	2	3	2	0	0	7

Simon	2	1	6	0	0	9
Asahel	2	3	2	0	0	7
Sheffield Town						
Joseph	3	0	6	0	0	9
County Totals	27	31	65	0	0	123

Bristol County

New Bedford Town						
Wally	3	2	2	0	0	7
Taunton Town						
Abijah	1	2	2	0	0	5
John	1	2	5	0	0	8
County Totals	5	6	9	0	0	20

Dukes County

Chilmark Town						
James	1	2	3	0	0	6
Mayhew	5	1	7	1	0	14
County Totals	6	3	10	1	0	20

Essex County

Andover Town						
Nathan	3	1	3	0	0	7
Nathan	3	2	4	0	0	9
Enoch	1	4	4	0	0	9
John, Jr.	1	0	1	0	0	2
Joshua	2	2	3	0	0	7
Beverly Town						
William	3	2	3	0	0	8
Moses	1	1	1	0	0	3
Boxford Town						
Isaac	2	2	4	0	0	8
Bradford Town						
Samuel	2	0	1	0	0	3
Gloucester Town						
Jonathan	2	1	2	0	0	5
Ruth	1	1	2	0	0	4
Haverhill Town						
Phineas	1	1	4	0	0	6
Daniel	1	1	3	0	0	5
Ipswich Town						
George	2	0	4	0	0	6
Nathaniel	2	0	4	0	0	6
Thomas	1	3	3	0	0	7

Elizabeth	0	1	3	0	0	4
Joseph	1	5	3	0	0	9
Ezekiel	2	0	1	0	0	3
Ezekiel, Jr.	2	1	2	0	0	5
Samuel	3	1	2	0	0	6
Stephen	1	1	3	0	0	5
Josiah	1	0	1	0	0	2
Henry	1	3	5	0	0	9
Samuel	1	1	3	0	0	5
Lynnfield Town						
Benjamin	1	0	1	0	0	2
Marblehead Town						
Mary	1	0	4	0	0	5
John	1	2	1	0	0	4
Rebecca	0	1	2	0	0	3
Newbury Town						
Isaac	1	1	2	0	0	4
Jacob	1	0	1	0	0	2
Charles	2	0	4	0	0	6
Paul	1	0	2	0	0	3
Silas	1	0	4	0	0	5
Simeon	2	1	5	0	0	8
Enoch	1	3	3	0	0	7
Moses	3	1	6	0	0	10
Israel	2	0	2	0	0	4
Nathaniel	1	1	1	0	0	3
John	3	4	3	0	0	10
Eliphalet	1	1	3	0	0	5
Daniel	1	1	2	0	0	4
Elizabeth	1	0	1	0	0	2
Samuel	4	2	5	0	0	11
Abraham	2	0	2	0	0	4
Abraham, Jr.	1	2	3	0	0	6
Stephen	2	1	5	0	0	8
Daniel	1	0	2	0	0	3
Newburyport Town						
Abraham	1	0	1	0	0	2
Richard	1	3	2	0	0	6
Thomas	1	1	1	0	0	3
Rowley Town						
Benjamin	3	3	4	0	0	10
Benjamin	2	1	3	0	0	6
Benjamin, III	2	2	5	0	0	9
Israel	2	1	5	0	0	8
Mary	0	0	2	0	0	2

Israel	1	2	2	0	0	5
Sarah	2	0	2	0	0	4
Mary	0	0	2	0	0	2
Salem Town						
John	1	1	2	0	0	4
Salisbury Town						
Samuel	1	3	4	0	0	8
Elizabeth	0	0	1	0	0	1
Joseph	2	5	2	0	0	9
Archelas	1	2	2	0	0	5
County Totals	94	79	173	0	0	346

Hampshire County

Amherst Town						
Abner	3	3	5	0	0	11
Chester Town						
Nathaniel	1	3	5	0	0	9
Conway Town						
Joel	1	3	5	0	0	9
Granville Town						
Pelatiah	1	1	3	0	0	5
Titus	1	4	2	0	0	7
Greenwich Town						
John	2	1	6	0	0	9
Leverett Town						
Nathan	3	3	5	0	0	11
Leyden Town						
Elijah	2	5	2	0	0	9
Caleb B.	1	3	2	0	0	6
Captain John	1	2	7	0	0	10
Norwich Town						
Thaddeus	1	1	4	0	0	6
Moses	1	2	5	0	0	8
Palmer Town						
Andrew	3	2	4	0	0	9
Plainfield Town						
Joshua	1	0	0	0	0	1
Rowe Town						
John	2	0	5	0	0	7
Shutesbury Town						
Asa	1	2	3	0	0	6
Isaiah	1	0	0	0	0	1

Springfield Town						
Elisha	1	3	2	0	0	6
West Springfield Town						
Seth	2	1	2	0	0	5
Westfield Town						
Reuben	1	4	3	0	0	8
Wilberham Town						
John	3	2	1	0	0	6
County Totals	33	45	71	0	0	149

Middlesex County

Acton Town						
John	3	2	3	0	0	8
John, Jr.	1	3	3	0	0	7
Moses	1	3	5	0	0	9
Ashby Town						
Benjamin	3	3	4	0	0	10
Cambridge Town						
Joseph	2	0	3	0	0	5
Sarah	0	0	4	0	0	4
John	3	3	3	0	0	9
Thomas	1	1	5	0	0	7
Thomas	1	0	0	0	0	1
Joel	1	0	2	0	0	3
Charlestown Town						
Joanna	0	2	2	0	0	4
Joseph	2	2	3	0	0	7
William	1	2	4	0	0	7
Amos	2	0	1	0	0	3
Chelmsford Town						
Jonas	1	0	1	0	0	2
Joseph	2	0	1	0	0	3
Joseph, Jr.	2	2	2	0	0	6
Jonathan	2	0	1	0	0	3
John	1	0	1	0	0	2
John, Jr.	1	0	3	0	0	4
Abel	2	4	3	0	0	9
Benjamin	3	0	2	0	0	5
Samuel	1	2	4	0	0	7
Robert	2	3	3	0	0	8
Timothy	2	4	2	0	0	8
William	2	1	3	0	0	6
East Sudbury Town						
Edward	1	0	1	0	0	2
John	2	0	3	0	0	5
Benjamin	1	2	7	0	0	10

Framingham Town						
Ezekiel	1	0	1	0	0	2
Groten Town						
John	1	1	5	0	0	7
Holliston Town						
Jonathan	1	4	4	0	0	9
Jesse	3	1	3	0	0	7
Timothy	1	1	2	0	0	4
Hopkinton Town						
Benjamin	3	0	7	0	0	10
Asa	3	1	2	0	0	6
Daniel	1	3	4	0	0	8
Elisha	1	4	2	0	0	7
Lexington Town						
Catherine	0	1	3	0	0	4
Benjamin	1	4	1	0	0	6
Prudence	0	0	2	0	0	2
George	1	2	1	0	0	4
Lincoln Town						
Joseph, Esq.	1	1	3	0	0	5
Joseph, Jr.	1	2	1	0	0	4
James	2	3	4	0	0	9
John	2	1	2	1	0	6
Bulkley	3	1	4	0	0	8
Littleton Town						
Nathaniel	2	3	2	0	0	7
Marlborough Town						
Jonas	1	1	4	0	0	6
Medford Town						
Nathan	1	2	3	0	0	6
Natick Town						
Asa	2	1	1	0	0	4
Newton Town						
Smith	2	3	4	0	0	9
Roger	2	2	6	0	0	10
Joseph, Jr.	2	1	2	0	0	5
Pepperell Town						
James	2	1	4	0	0	7
Joseph	1	3	3	0	0	7
Sherburn Town						
Asa	1	2	1	0	0	4
Elisahil	1	0	1	0	0	2

William	1	1	2	0	0	4
James	1	0	2	0	0	3
Townsend Town						
Daniel	3	1	4	0	0	8
Daniel, Jr.	3	2	4	0	0	9
Archelas	4	1	2	0	0	7
Peter	2	0	0	0	0	2
Abner	2	1	1	0	0	4
Tyngsborough Town						
Samuel	1	1	2	0	0	4
Waltham Town						
William	1	0	3	0	0	4
Ephraim	1	0	2	0	0	3
Westford Town						
Samuel	2	0	6	0	0	8
Thomas	1	4	1	0	0	6
County Totals	111	99	190	1	0	401

Plymouth County

Kingston Town						
John	1	0	1	0	0	2
John, Jr.	2	1	3	0	0	6
Metzar	1	5	2	0	0	8
Joseph	1	2	3	0	0	6
Francis	2	3	4	0	0	9
Francis, Jr.	1	1	3	0	0	5
Ebenezer	2	3	5	0	0	10
Rochester Town						
Thomas	2	6	1	0	0	9
County Totals	12	21	22	0	0	55

Suffolk County

Bellingham Town						
Samuel	1	4	4	0	0	9
Silas	4	1	3	0	0	8
Amos	2	1	3	0	0	6
Oba	1	1	1	0	0	3
Boston Town						
Samuel	1	1	3	0	0	5
Jacob	1	0	1	0	0	2
Mrs.	0	0	1	0	0	1
Joseph	3	6	3	1	0	13
John	1	0	3	0	0	4
Mrs.	0	0	1	0	0	1

Mrs.	0	1	3	0	0	4
James	1	2	2	0	0	5
Elijah	4	0	2	0	0	6
Mrs.	0	0	2	0	0	2
Mrs.	0	0	3	0	0	3
Thomas	2	3	5	0	0	10
Miss	0	0	1	0	0	1
Nathaniel	2	4	4	0	0	10
Thomas	2	2	2	0	0	6
Mrs.	0	0	4	2	0	6
Miss	0	0	1	0	0	1
Abijah	2	2	3	0	0	7
Samuel	3	2	3	0	0	8
Abraham	4	2	8	0	0	14
Caleb	1	1	5	0	0	7
Braintree Town						
John	1	1	1	0	0	3
Peter	1	0	1	0	0	2
Jede	3	1	3	0	0	7
Ebenezer	3	1	2	0	0	6
Josiah	1	0	3	0	0	4
Peter B.	3	1	5	0	0	9
Chelsea Town						
John	2	5	3	1	0	11
Dover Town						
Jonas	1	0	2	0	0	3
Franklin Town						
Nathaniel	2	1	2	0	0	5
Thadi	2	3	4	0	0	9
John	1	7	3	0	0	11
Moses	1	2	1	0	0	4
Peter	4	1	1	0	0	6
John	1	0	0	0	0	1
Willi	2	2	3	0	0	7
Medfield Town						
Elijah	2	4	5	0	0	11
Thomas	4	1	3	0	0	8
Oliver	2	1	2	0	0	5
Nathaniel	1	1	4	0	0	6
Gresham	2	0	3	0	0	5
Enoch	1	1	2	1	0	5
Medway Town						
Micah	1	0	1	0	0	2
Jonathan	2	1	2	0	0	5
Jonathan	1	0	1	1	0	3

Jonathan, III	1	1	2	0	0	4
Thomas	1	2	3	0	0	6
Moses	2	1	5	0	0	8
Eliak	2	3	4	0	0	9
John	2	1	2	0	0	5
Nathan	2	0	1	0	0	3
Abjdi	1	1	3	0	0	5
Stephen	2	5	5	0	0	12
Oliver	3	0	3	0	0	6
Milton Town						
Lemuel	1	6	3	0	0	10
John	2	2	3	0	0	7
Stoughton Town						
Rev. Mr.	4	1	3	0	0	8
County Totals	102	91	165	6	0	364

Worcester County

Ashburnham Town						
John	2	3	5	0	0	10
Thomas	1	0	2	0	0	3
Thomas, Jr.	1	3	1	0	0	5
Nathaniel	1	4	6	0	0	11
Barre Town						
Daniel	2	0	1	0	0	3
Daniel, Jr.	1	3	3	0	0	7
John	1	1	1	0	0	3
Nathaniel	1	1	5	0	0	7
Titus	1	2	3	0	0	6
Philemon	1	2	4	0	0	7
Luther	1	4	1	0	0	6
John	1	1	1	0	0	3
Peter	1	1	3	0	0	5
Brookfield Town						
Jesse	1	4	2	0	0	7
Joel	1	4	3	0	0	8
Elias	1	0	1	0	0	2
James	2	4	2	0	0	8
Elazer	1	1	5	0	0	7
Jude	2	3	3	0	0	8
John	1	0	1	0	0	2
Abraham	4	0	4	0	0	8
Amos	2	3	5	0	0	10
Lemuel	1	1	3	0	0	5
Mary	0	0	2	0	0	2
Ephraim	1	1	4	0	0	6
Benjamin	1	4	3	0	0	8

Charlton Town						
Thomas	1	1	2	0	0	4
Dudley Town						
Benoni	1	3	7	0	0	11
Grafton Town						
Samuel	2	0	1	0	0	3
Mares	1	0	2	0	0	3
Harvard Town						
Oliver	2	0	4	0	0	6
Hubbardston Town						
Elijah	1	2	4	0	0	7
Isacher	2	1	6	0	0	9
Reuben	1	1	3	0	0	5
Lunenburgh Town						
Rev. Zabdiel	2	1	8	0	0	11
Nathan	2	1	2	0	0	5
Nathan, Jr.	1	0	1	0	0	2
Jonathan	1	1	2	0	0	4
Jonathan, Jr.	1	2	4	0	0	7
Edward	1	1	3	0	0	5
Mendon Town						
Joseph	1	1	4	0	0	6
Josiah	3	1	1	0	0	5
New Braintree Town						
James	3	3	7	0	0	13
Northbridge Town						
John	1	0	1	0	0	2
John, Jr.	2	3	3	0	0	8
Jonathan	3	0	6	0	0	9
Nehemiah	1	2	6	0	0	9
Aaron	1	2	4	0	0	7
Nathaniel	1	1	4	0	0	6
Andrew	1	0	1	0	0	2
Francis	1	1	4	0	0	6
Oakham Town						
Jacob	1	1	2	0	0	4
Oxford Town						
Molly	0	0	1	0	0	1
Rutland Town						
Asa	2	5	8	0	0	15
Shrewsbury Town						
Jonathan	3	1	6	0	0	10

Spencer Town						
David	2	1	3	0	0	6
Abigail	1	0	3	0	0	4
Sturbridge Town						
George	1	1	1	0	0	3
Sutton Town						
James	1	0	3	0	0	4
James, Jr.	1	1	1	0	0	3
Israel	1	1	2	0	0	4
Templeton Town						
Edward	2	3	4	0	0	9
Uxbridge Town						
Joseph	4	1	2	0	0	7
Westborough Town						
Isaac	1	1	2	0	0	4
Western Town						
Nathaniel	1	0	4	0	0	5
Westminster Town						
John	1	2	4	0	0	7
Elizabeth	0	0	1	0	0	1
Worcester Town						
Charles	1	0	1	0	0	2
County Totals	93	96	212	0	0	401
State Totals	488	476	925	8	0	1897

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Cheshire County

Charlestown Town						
Daniel	1	0	4	0	0	5
Dublin Town						
Isaac	1	0	1	0	0	2
James	4	0	1	0	0	5
Jonathan	1	1	5	0	0	7
Joseph	1	0	3	0	0	4
Moses	3	1	2	0	0	6
Timothy	2	0	2	0	0	4
Fitzwilliam Town						
Daniel	1	4	3	0	0	8
George	1	0	2	0	0	3
Gilsom Town						
David	1	1	6	0	0	8
Jonathan	1	1	2	0	0	4

Jaffrey Town

Jonas	1	2	2	0	0	5
Phillip	2	1	4	0	0	7
Samuel	1	3	4	0	0	8
Thomas	1	1	2	0	0	4

Packersfield Town

John	2	3	4	0	0	9
Samuel	1	3	4	0	0	8

Plainfield Town

Eliphalet	1	0	4	0	0	5
Micajah	2	0	1	0	0	3
Oliver	1	1	2	0	0	4
Simeon	1	0	2	0	0	3

Rindge Town

David	1	2	6	0	0	9
Israel	3	1	4	0	0	8

Stoddard Town

Ephraim	2	3	5	0	0	10
John	1	1	2	0	0	4
County Totals	37	29	77	0	0	143

Grafton County

Campton Town

Isaac	1	1	2	0	0	4

Enfield Town

Henry	1	0	0	0	0	1
William	2	0	2	0	0	4

Haverhill Town

Paul	1	1	2	0	0	4
County Totals	5	2	6	0	0	13

Hillsborough County

Dunstable Town

Silas	1	2	7	0	0	10
Richard	1	2	3	0	0	6
Eda	1	3	2	0	0	6
Jacob	1	1	2	0	0	4
Ephraim	1	0	1	0	0	2

Heniker Town

Aaron	4	2	2	0	0	8
Moses	1	1	1	0	0	3
Gideon	1	0	4	0	0	5
Stephen	2	2	3	0	0	7

Hollis Town

William	1	2	3	0	0	6

Hopkinton Town

Samuel	1	1	2	0	0	4

Mason Town

John	2	4	4	0	0	10
Abel	2	2	2	0	0	6

New Ipswich Town

Stephen	1	0	2	0	0	3
Benjamin	3	1	3	0	0	7
Ephraim	3	1	3	0	0	7
Ephraim, Jr.	2	2	8	0	0	12

New London Town

Benjamin	2	2	3	0	0	7
Solomon	1	1	5	0	0	7
Jonathan	1	0	2	0	0	3
Moses	1	0	1	0	0	2
John	1	0	1	0	0	2
John, Jr.	1	1	5	0	0	7

Sharon Town

Joel	1	2	4	0	0	7

Temple Town

Levi	1	2	2	0	0	5

Weare Town

Richard	2	0	2	0	0	4
County Totals	39	34	77	0	0	150

Rockingham County

Exeter Town

Mary	1	1	3	1	0	6

Hampstead Town

Caleb	2	0	2	0	0	4
John	2	2	1	0	0	5

Londonderry Town

Joseph	1	4	3	0	0	8
John	1	0	3	0	0	4
David	2	2	4	0	0	8
Jonathan	4	0	4	0	0	8
David	3	3	6	0	0	12
Edmund	3	3	3	0	0	9
Samuel	2	0	5	0	0	7
William	1	2	2	0	0	5
Masey	2	0	2	0	0	4

Newington Town

Benjamin	1	1	1	1	2	6
Nathan Webb	1	4	3	0	0	8

Joseph	1	2	2	0	0	5
Samuel	1	2	2	0	0	5
New Market Town						
Josiah	1	0	6	0	0	7
Pembrook Town						
Dr. Thomas	1	3	3	0	0	7
Portsmouth Town						
Nathaniel	1	5	3	0	0	9
William	1	0	2	0	0	3
Stathham Town						
John	2	1	3	0	0	6
Nathan	1	0	1	0	0	2
County Totals	35	35	64	2	2	138

Stafford County

Barnstead Town						
Joseph	2	1	2	0	0	5
Ezekiel	1	2	4	0	0	7
Dudley	1	1	1	0	0	3
Ebenezer	1	2	4	0	0	7
Durham Town						
Samuel	1	1	4	0	0	6
Moultonborough Town						
John	2	1	2	0	0	5
Abner	1	1	4	0	0	6
John	1	2	1	0	0	4
Rufus	1	2	3	0	0	6
Stephen	2	5	5	0	0	12
Rochester Town						
James	1	4	3	0	1	9
County Totals	14	22	33	0	1	70
State Totals	130	122	257	2	3	514

NEW YORK

Albany County

Bellstown Town						
David	1	2	3	0	0	6
Oliver	1	3	2	0	0	6
Silas	1	1	3	0	0	5
Cambridge Town						
Eliphalet	2	2	2	0	0	6
Ezekiel	1	1	4	0	0	6
Daniel	1	1	2	0	0	4

William	1	1	4	0	0	6
John	2	1	5	0	0	8
Catskill Town						
Joseph	2	2	2	0	0	6
Ephraim	1	2	2	0	0	5
Josiah	1	0	2	0	0	3
Coxsackie Town						
Peter C.	1	1	2	0	0	4
Duanesburgh Town						
Parmenias	1	5	1	0	0	7
Permeny	1	0	0	0	0	1
Rensselaerville Town						
Joseph	1	0	3	0	0	4
Rensselaerwick Town						
Oliver	1	3	2	0	0	6
Elijah	3	3	4	0	0	10
Elijah, Jr.	1	2	1	0	0	4
Elijah	1	2	4	0	0	7
Saratoga Town						
David	1	2	6	0	0	9
Schaghticoke Town						
Richard	1	1	2	0	0	4
John	1	2	3	0	0	6
Bailey	1	2	1	0	0	4
Schenectady Town						
William	2	0	1	0	3	6
Stephentown Town						
James	2	1	3	0	0	6
James, Jr.	2	4	2	0	0	8
Gideon	1	2	4	0	0	7
Elisha	2	2	2	0	0	6
Stillwater Town						
Abijah	3	2	7	0	0	12
County Totals	40	50	79	0	3	172

Clinton County

Wellsburgh Town						
David	1	1	2	0	0	4
County Totals	1	1	2	0	0	4

Columbia County

Canaan Town						
Noah	1	0	4	0	0	5
Dudley	2	4	2	0	0	8

David	1	0	2	0	0	3
Josiah	2	1	4	0	0	7
Hillsdale Town						
Joseph	1	0	2	0	0	3
James	2	1	3	0	0	6
Livingston Town						
John	3	3	3	0	0	9
County Totals	12	9	20	0	0	41

Dutchess County

Amenia Town						
David	1	3	2	0	0	6
Elisha	1	3	1	0	0	5
Thomas	1	1	2	0	0	4
Jonathan, Sr.	3	1	2	0	0	6
Jonathan, Jr.	2	2	3	0	0	7
Thomas	2	1	3	0	0	6
Fredericktown Town						
John	2	1	7	0	0	10
Thomas	3	3	5	0	0	11
Gilbert	1	5	2	0	0	8
Justus	1	1	2	0	0	4
John, Jr.	1	0	4	0	0	5
Pawling Town						
Edward	1	3	2	0	0	6
Rhinebeck Town						
Ebenezer	1	5	2	0	0	8
Washington Town						
Abraham	3	2	2	0	0	7
Abraham, Jr.	1	1	1	0	0	3
County Totals	24	32	40	0	0	96

Montgomery County

Canajoharie Town						
Darius	2	2	4	0	0	8
John	1	1	4	0	0	6
Caughnawaga Town						
Robert	4	1	3	0	3	11
Chemung Town						
Isaac	1	1	1	0	0	3
Mohawk Town						
John	1	2	3	0	0	6

Otsego Town						
John	1	1	4	0	0	6
County Totals	10	8	19	0	3	40

New York City and County

East Ward						
William	2	1	2	1	0	6
Montgomery Ward						
Josiah	3	0	1	0	0	4
William	1	3	1	0	0	5
John	1	1	1	0	0	3
Adam	1	0	1	0	0	2
Margaret	3	0	2	0	0	5
John	1	1	3	0	0	5
Mary	0	0	1	0	0	1
John	1	0	2	0	0	3
Isaac	1	0	2	0	0	3
North Ward						
Jonas	1	0	3	1	0	5
Thomas	1	0	1	0	0	2
Out Ward						
Peter	1	2	1	0	0	4
West Ward						
Robert	1	2	5	0	1	9
County Totals	18	10	26	2	1	57

Ontario County

Canadaigua Town						
John	7	0	1	0	0	8
County Totals	7	0	1	0	0	8

Orange County

Goshen Town						
Daniel	9	1	4	0	0	14
Haverstraw Town						
John	1	1	3	0	0	5
Minisink Town						
Joseph	1	0	2	0	0	3
New Cornwall Town						
James	1	0	1	0	0	2
William	2	0	5	0	0	7
County Totals	14	2	15	0	0	31

Ulster County

Mamakating Town

Deliverance	1	3	3	0	0	7

New Marlborough Town

Abel	3	3	6	0	0	12
Abel	1	1	3	0	0	5

New Winsdor Town

Chester	1	1	4	0	1	7
Agnis	0	0	3	0	0	3
County Totals	6	8	19	0	1	34

Washington County

Granville Town

John	1	0	1	0	0	2
Allen	1	0	1	0	0	2

Hampton Town

Samuel	1	5	3	0	0	9

Hebron Town

Parker	1	1	2	0	0	4

Kingsbury Town

Joseph	4	4	1	0	0	9

Whitehall Town

Joel	2	1	2	0	0	5
Joel	1	2	2	0	0	5
Timothy	1	2	1	0	0	4
County Totals	12	15	13	0	0	40

Westchester County

Cortland Town

Henry	1	1	2	0	0	4

Mount Pleasant Town

William	2	2	3	0	1	8

Scarsdale Town

Jesse	2	0	1	0	0	3
County Totals	5	3	6	0	1	15
State Totals	149	138	240	2	9	538

NORTH CAROLINA

Anson County

No Town Records

Zadock	1	0	0	0	0	1
William	1	0	1	0	0	2

Joseph	1	2	3	0	0	6
Elizabeth	0	1	2	0	0	3
County Totals	3	3	6	0	0	12

Beaufort County

No Town Records

Peter	1	0	1	0	0	2
Isaac	1	1	1	0	0	3
Joshua	1	1	3	0	0	5
Elizabeth	2	2	1	0	0	5
Henry	1	1	3	0	5	10
Abram	1	0	1	1	2	5
James	1	0	1	0	4	6
Josias	2	1	3	0	2	8
Samuel	1	0	1	2	0	4
Elijah	1	0	1	0	0	2
County Totals	12	6	16	3	13	50

Bladen County

No Town Records

Benjamin	1	3	1	0	0	5
County Totals	1	3	1	0	0	5

Burke County

No Town Records

George	1	1	2	0	0	4
Howell	1	1	2	0	0	4
Benjamin	1	1	3	0	1	6
Mary	0	2	1	0	0	3
County Totals	3	5	8	0	1	17

Carteret County

No Town Records

Joseph	1	1	1	0	0	3
Nathan	1	1	3	0	1	6
John	1	0	4	0	0	5
County Totals	3	2	8	0	1	14

Caswell County

No Town Records

John	1	0	0	0	0	1
County Totals	1	0	0	0	0	1

Chatham County

No Town Records

Thomas	2	2	1	0	0	5
Thomas	1	5	4	0	0	10
County Totals	3	7	5	0	0	15

Craven County

No Town Records

Mary	0	0	3	0	4	7
County Totals	0	0	3	0	4	7

Cumberland County

No Town Records

John	3	0	3	0	0	6
County Totals	3	0	3	0	0	6

Currituck County

No Town Records

John	1	2	3	0	0	6
County Totals	1	2	3	0	0	6

Dobbs County

No Town Records

Willowby	1	0	1	0	0	2
County Totals	1	0	1	0	0	2

Duplin County

No Town Records

Robert	1	2	2	0	0	5
County Totals	1	2	2	0	0	5

Edgecombe County

No Town Records

Briton	1	2	3	0	0	6
William	1	0	1	0	1	3
James	1	2	3	0	5	11
Hopewell	2	0	3	0	2	7
Briton	2	3	4	0	0	9
County Totals	7	7	14	0	8	36

Franklin County

No Town Records

Jesse	1	2	5	0	7	15
County Totals	1	2	5	0	7	15

Granville County

No Town Records

Samuel	1	0	0	0	0	1
County Totals	1	0	0	0	0	1

Halifax County

No Town Records

Phillip	1	1	2	0	2	6
John	1	1	4	0	3	9
Benjamin	1	0	3	0	0	4
James	1	1	8	0	0	10
County Totals	4	3	17	0	5	29

Hyde County

No Town Records

William	2	4	3	0	5	14
Absalom	2	3	2	0	0	7
William	1	0	0	0	0	1
Mary	0	3	2	0	0	5
County Totals	5	10	7	0	5	27

Iredell County

No Town Records

James	2	2	3	0	5	12
County Totals	2	2	3	0	5	12

Johnston County

No Town Records

Howell	1	2	4	0	0	7
Bryan	1	5	1	0	0	7
County Totals	2	7	5	0	0	14

Martin County

No Town Records

William	1	2	4	0	0	7
County Totals	1	2	4	0	0	7

Mecklenburg County

No Town Records

Charles	3	2	5	0	0	10
County Totals	3	2	5	0	0	10

Onslow County

No Town Records

Penlope	0	0	2	0	0	2
County Totals	0	0	2	0	0	2

Orange County

No Town Records

John	1	0	0	0	0	1
County Totals	1	0	0	0	0	1

Pitt County

No Town Records

Archibald	1	0	0	0	2	3
Calston	1	3	3	0	5	12
Levi	2	7	7	0	0	16
Abram	3	5	6	0	5	19
Archibald	3	1	5	0	5	14
William	1	0	2	0	1	4
William	1	2	3	0	0	6
Ezekiel	3	6	2	0	0	11
County Totals	15	24	28	0	18	85

Richmond County

No Town Records

Richard	1	1	2	0	4	8
William	1	0	0	0	0	1
County Totals	2	1	2	0	4	9

Rockingham County

No Town Records

Thomas	1	1	1	0	0	3
County Totals	1	1	1	0	0	3

Rowan County

No Town Records

Abraham	3	0	2	0	5	10
Ephraim	1	1	1	0	2	5
Abraham	1	0	1	0	0	2
Isaac	3	2	3	0	0	8
Silvenus	1	0	2	0	0	3
Elisha	1	4	3	0	0	8
Jacob	1	0	0	0	0	1
John	1	0	0	0	0	1
County Totals	12	7	12	0	7	38

Rutherford County

No Town Records

James	1	0	1	0	5	7
Benjamin	3	3	4	0	0	10
William	1	0	2	0	0	3
Jere	1	4	1	0	0	6
County Totals	6	7	8	0	5	26

Stokes County

No Town Records

John	1	0	2	0	1	4
George	1	1	2	0	0	4

John	1	1	3	0	0	5
William	1	2	4	0	0	7
County Totals	4	4	11	0	1	20

Surry County

No Town Records

Patrick	1	3	5	0	0	9
Moses	1	1	1	0	0	3
Moses	1	0	1	0	0	2
William	2	1	5	0	0	8
Jonathan	1	1	2	0	0	4
James	1	0	0	0	0	1
County Totals	7	6	14	0	0	27

Tyrell County

No Town Records

Martha	0	2	2	0	0	4
Isaac	1	2	3	0	2	8
Thomas	1	0	2	0	0	3
County Totals	2	4	7	0	2	15

Wake County

No Town Records

Joshua	1	3	1	0	0	5
County Totals	1	3	1	0	0	5

Warren County

No Town Records

John	1	0	2	0	12	15
County Totals	1	0	2	0	12	15

Wilkes County

No Town Records

William	1	0	1	0	0	2
Jane	0	4	2	0	0	6
John	2	1	6	0	0	9
William	1	1	8	0	1	11
Sarah	0	0	3	0	0	3
Peggy	0	1	3	0	0	4
Jacob	1	4	4	0	0	9
Benjamin	1	1	5	0	0	7
John	1	1	5	0	3	10
John	1	0	1	0	0	2
Spencer	1	3	3	0	2	9
Moses	2	6	5	0	0	13

Zachary	1	2	2	0	0	5
William	1	4	2	0	0	7
Thomas	1	1	2	0	0	4
County Totals	14	29	52	0	6	101
State Totals	124	151	256	3	104	638

PENNSYLVANIA

Allegheny County

Pitt Township

George	1	0	1	0	2	4

Remainder of County

Jacob	1	1	2	0	0	4
William	1	0	1	0	0	2
John	1	2	2	0	0	5
Doctor	2	2	2	0	0	6
County Totals	6	5	8	0	2	21

Bedford County

No Township Records

David	1	3	4	0	0	8
Hendrey	1	4	2	0	0	7
Richard	1	1	3	0	0	5
Salomon	2	6	4	0	0	12
Peter	1	2	3	0	0	6
William	1	0	2	0	0	3
Elijah	3	3	3	0	0	9
Robert	1	3	4	0	0	8
James	1	0	2	0	0	3
Robert	1	4	4	0	0	9
Adam	1	2	3	0	0	6
County Totals	14	28	34	0	0	76

Berks County

Bern Township

John	1	0	3	0	0	4

Cumberland Township

Benard, Sr.	1	1	5	0	0	7
Benard, Jr.	1	1	0	0	0	2
Nicholas	1	2	3	0	0	6
John	1	4	2	0	0	7

Heidleberg Township

Isaac	2	6	2	0	0	10

Pinegrove Township

John	1	2	2	0	0	5
County Totals	8	16	17	0	0	41

Bucks County

No Township Records

Hugh	4	1	5	0	4	14
Benjamin	1	3	2	0	0	6
Judith	2	0	1	0	0	3
David	1	2	2	0	0	5
George	1	1	4	0	0	6
John	2	1	3	0	0	6
Samuel	1	1	1	0	0	3
County Totals	12	9	18	0	4	43

Chester County

East Whiteland Township

John	1	3	6	0	0	10

Fallowfield Township

Joseph	1	0	2	0	0	3
Rebecca	1	0	2	0	0	3

Uwchland Township

Matthew	1	0	6	0	0	7
Matthew	1	0	6	0	0	7

West Marlborough Township

Alexander	1	2	2	0	0	5
County Totals	6	5	24	0	0	35

Cumberland County

Hopewell, Newton, Tyborn and West Pennsboro Townships

James	2	1	4	0	0	7
William	2	2	6	0	0	10
Robert	3	1	4	0	0	8
Matthew	3	1	4	0	0	8
William	1	2	2	0	0	5
Matthew	1	2	2	0	0	5
John	1	2	1	0	0	4
Thomas	1	4	4	0	0	9
William	1	1	1	0	0	3

Eastern Part of County

James	1	0	0	0	0	1
James	2	1	2	0	0	5
Abraham	2	3	6	0	0	11
County Totals	20	20	36	0	0	76

Delaware County

Newton Township

George	2	0	5	0	0	7
County Totals	2	0	5	0	0	7

Fayette County

German Township

Samuel	1	1	2	0	0	4

Menallen Township

James	1	1	4	0	0	6
Robert	3	2	4	0	0	9
Samuel	2	4	5	0	0	11
Matthew	1	5	4	0	0	10
Widow	2	0	4	0	0	6
James, Jr.	1	1	1	0	0	3
Elizabeth	0	0	3	0	0	3

Springhill Township

James	1	1	3	0	0	5
County Totals	12	15	30	0	0	57

Franklin County

Fannet, Hamilton, Letterkenny and Montgomery Townships

Samuel	1	3	1	0	0	5
William	3	1	3	0	0	7

Remainder of County

James	1	1	1	0	0	3
William	3	1	3	0	0	7
John	1	4	2	0	0	7
David	2	2	3	0	0	7
William	1	0	1	0	0	2
County Totals	12	12	14	0	0	38

Huntingdon County

No Township Records

Thomas	2	0	1	0	0	3
County Totals	2	0	1	0	0	3

Lancaster County

Cocalico Township

Richard	2	1	7	0	0	10
County Totals	2	1	7	0	0	10

Luzerne County

No Township Records

Abraham	1	1	4	0	0	6
David	1	2	1	0	0	4
George	1	1	2	0	0	4
County Totals	3	4	7	0	0	14

Miffin County

No Township Records

William	1	1	3	1	0	6
Nathaniel	3	3	1	0	0	7
William	2	2	4	0	0	8
James	1	2	2	0	0	5
Jacob	3	3	2	0	0	8
Jonathan	1	1	2	0	0	4
William	1	1	3	0	0	5
Widow	0	0	3	0	0	3
County Totals	12	13	20	1	0	46

Montgomery County

Arlington Township

Joseph	1	2	4	0	0	7

Remainder of County

James	4	1	3	0	0	8
County Totals	5	3	7	0	0	15

Northumberland County

No Township Records

Widow	0	1	3	1	0	5
Joseph	1	1	3	0	0	5
John	1	1	1	0	0	3
Dr. William	1	0	1	0	0	2
Thomas	1	0	1	0	0	2
Robert	1	0	3	0	0	4
Conrad	1	0	2	0	0	3
Paul	1	0	2	0	0	3
Casper	1	1	1	0	0	3
Matthew	2	0	1	0	0	3
Catherine	1	2	1	0	0	4
County Totals	11	6	19	1	0	37

Philadelphia County

Bristol Township

Peter	1	3	2	0	0	6

Germantown Town

Charles	1	0	1	0	0	2

Kingsessing Township

William	1	0	1	0	0	2

Moyamensing and Passyunk Townships

Joseph	1	0	2	0	0	3

Northern Liberties Town

John	1	1	1	0	0	3
Sarah	0	2	3	0	0	5

Southwark Town

James	1	2	1	0	0	4
John	1	3	1	0	0	5
Moses	2	4	3	0	0	9

Philadelphia City

Richard	1	0	0	0	0	1
Richard	1	0	1	0	0	2
County Totals	11	15	16	0	0	42

Washington County

No Township Records

William	1	2	4	0	0	7
John	1	0	3	0	0	4
William	1	1	3	0	0	5
John	3	4	5	0	0	12
John	1	3	2	0	0	6
County Totals	7	10	17	0	0	34

Westmoreland County

Armstrong Township

Gain	2	2	4	0	0	8

Derry Township

Andrew	1	1	5	0	0	7

Fairfield Township

Archebold	1	1	1	0	0	3
Thomas	1	0	2	0	0	3

Washington Township

John, Sr.	1	0	1	0	0	2
John, Jr.	1	0	3	0	0	4
County Totals	7	4	16	0	0	27

York County

Chanceford Township

Hugh	2	1	2	0	0	5
Matthew	4	2	1	0	0	7

Monaghan Township

Henry	2	2	3	0	0	7

Remainder of County

Jacob	1	1	3	1	0	6
Magdalene	1	2	2	0	0	5
Levi	1	1	2	0	0	4

Samuel	2	2	2	0	0	6
County Totals	13	11	15	1	0	40
State Totals	165	177	311	3	6	662

RHODE ISLAND

Bristol County

Barrington Town

Newtigate	1	3	3	0	0	7

Warren Town

Joseph	1	1	3	0	0	5
County Totals	2	4	6	0	0	12

Providence County

Foster Town

Hizah	1	2	3	0	0	6
County Totals	1	2	3	0	0	6

Washington County

Charlestown Town

Henry	1	0	1	0	0	2
Thomas	1	5	2	0	0	8
County Totals	2	5	3	0	0	10
State Totals	5	11	12	0	0	28

SOUTH CAROLINA

Beaufort District

No County Records

Henry	1	3	2	0	7	13
David	2	1	3	0	34	40
Sarah	1	0	5	0	9	15
John	1	0	2	0	21	24
Richard	2	0	2	0	25	29
District Totals	7	4	14	0	96	121

Camden District

Chester County

James	1	2	3	0	0	6
John	1	2	3	0	0	6
Thomas	1	0	1	0	0	2
Samuel	1	3	4	0	0	8

Fairfield County

James	3	1	5	0	0	9
Robert	1	3	3	0	0	7

Lancaster County

David	1	1	2	0	0	4
Abraham	1	3	3	0	0	7
Rosanah	1	3	1	0	0	5
John	1	4	4	0	0	9
William	1	2	3	0	0	6
William	1	2	3	0	0	6
Frances	2	5	1	0	0	8

Richland County

William	1	2	2	0	2	7
Richard	1	0	3	0	0	4
John Carrol	1	1	3	0	0	5
James	1	0	0	0	0	1
Abraham	2	0	1	0	0	3
Joel	1	4	3	0	16	24

York County

Francis	6	2	4	0	0	12
John	2	5	2	0	8	17
Godfry	1	3	2	6	4	16
District Totals	32	48	56	6	30	172

Charleston District

St. Johns Parish

John (estate)	0	0	0	0	38	38
Nathaniel	2	0	0	0	14	16
Bernard	1	0	2	0	35	38
William	2	0	0	0	36	38

St. Bartholmes Parish

William	1	0	0	0	11	12
Mrs.	1	1	2	0	0	4

St. James Goose Creek Parish

Samuel	1	0	2	0	4	7

St. Phillips and St. Michaels Parish

William	1	1	2	0	0	4
(illegible)	1	0	0	0	0	1
Samuel	1	1	0	0	3	5
District Totals	11	3	8	0	141	163

Cheraw District

No County Records

Thomas	2	2	6	0	0	10
Burges	2	0	5	0	0	7
Richard	1	0	2	0	0	3
District Totals	5	2	13	0	0	20

Georgetown District

Prince Fredericks Parish

John	1	1	2	0	0	4
Margaret	1	0	2	0	2	5

Prince Georges Parish

Benjamin	1	0	1	0	0	2
Joseph	3	3	6	0	0	12
District Totals	6	4	11	0	2	23

Ninety-Six District

Abbeville County

William	1	4	2	0	0	7
Thomas	1	0	0	0	0	1
James	1	3	5	0	0	9
George	1	3	3	0	0	7

Edgefield County

Little Berry	1	0	3	0	3	7
Drewry	1	2	5	0	3	11
Benjamin	1	2	7	0	10	20
John	2	3	6	0	0	11
Elizabeth	1	0	4	0	0	5
John	1	3	1	0	0	5
Thomas	1	3	2	0	0	6
William, Sr.	2	1	2	0	0	5
William, Jr.	1	0	4	0	0	5
John	1	0	0	0	0	1
Thomas	1	1	2	0	0	4

Greenville County

Jesse	1	1	2	0	0	4
Martin	1	3	2	0	0	6

Laurens County

John	1	1	2	0	0	4
John	1	0	3	0	0	4
Abraham	1	1	1	0	0	3

Newberry County

George	3	5	2	0	2	12

Pendleton County

David	1	3	3	0	0	7
John	3	0	3	0	0	6
John, Jr.	1	1	4	0	0	6
Stephen	1	0	2	0	0	3
James	1	2	2	0	0	5
District Totals	32	42	72	0	18	164

Orangeburgh District

North Part

George	1	0	2	0	0	3
Risby	2	0	2	0	0	4
William	1	1	1	0	1	4

South Part

Samuel	1	1	1	0	10	13
William	1	1	2	0	0	4
Jacob	4	0	4	0	0	8
Mary	1	0	3	0	0	4
Robert	2	4	1	0	0	7
William	1	1	4	0	0	6
District Totals	14	8	20	0	11	53
State Totals	107	111	194	6	298	716

VERMONT

Addison County

Salisbury Town

Samuel	1	3	3	0	0	7
Aaron	1	3	4	0	0	8
Daniel	1	3	4	0	0	8
County Totals	3	9	11	0	0	23

Bennington County

Bennington Town

William	1	3	1	0	0	5

Shaftsbury Town

Henry	1	2	4	0	0	7
County Totals	2	5	5	0	0	12

Chittenden County

Burlington Town

Benjamin	1	0	0	0	0	1

South Hero Town

Isaac	1	2	2	0	0	5
Joseph	1	0	0	0	0	1

Williston Town

John	1	3	2	0	0	6
County Totals	4	5	4	0	0	13

Orange County

Brookfield Town

Reuben	2	2	1	0	0	5

Littleton Town

James	2	0	1	0	0	3

Randolph Town

Robert	1	4	2	0	0	7
Silas	1	0	1	0	0	2

Saint Johnsbury Town

Jonathan	4	2	2	0	0	8
Martin	1	2	3	0	0	6

Wildersburg Town

Job	1	2	1	0	0	4
County Totals	12	12	11	0	0	35

Rutland County

Clarendon Town

John	2	4	4	0	0	10

Danby Town

Plyn	2	0	3	0	0	5

Ira Town

Daniel	1	1	1	0	0	3

Pawlet Town

Asal	1	1	1	0	0	3
David	2	1	5	0	0	8
Levi	3	2	5	0	0	10
Gideon	1	1	3	0	0	5
John	2	2	1	0	0	5
Jesse	1	3	3	0	0	7
Asa	1	0	2	0	0	3

Pittsford Town

Elijah	1	1	3	0	0	5
Richard	1	2	2	0	0	5
Saxton	1	0	2	0	0	3
Elisha	3	1	3	0	0	7

Poultney Town

Jeremiah	1	1	1	0	0	3
Benjamin	1	1	2	0	0	4
Elijah	1	0	4	0	0	5
Abner	1	5	3	0	0	9

Tinmouth Town

Amos	2	2	3	0	0	7

Wallingford Town

Alden	1	0	5	0	0	6
County Totals	29	28	56	0	0	113

Windham County

Brattleboro Town

Nathan	1	1	6	0	0	8

Jamaica Town

Seth	2	0	6	0	0	8

Marlborough Town

Freegrace	1	0	3	0	0	4
Bildad	1	0	0	0	0	1
Levi	1	1	1	0	0	3
Joel	2	0	2	0	0	4

Putney Town

Samuel	1	4	3	0	0	8

Rockingham Town

Joseph	3	2	6	0	0	11
Luther	1	0	2	0	0	3
Eli	1	1	3	0	0	5
County Totals	14	9	32	0	0	55

Winsdor County

Andover Town

Levi	1	3	2	0	0	6
Thomas	1	0	1	0	0	2

Cavendish Town

Timothy	1	3	2	0	0	6
Samuel	1	2	3	0	0	6

Saltash Town

Ephraim	1	1	0	0	0	2

Stockbridge Town

Joseph	1	1	2	0	0	4

Weathersfield Town

Jacob	2	0	3	0	0	5
Samuel	1	0	4	0	0	5

Winsdor Town

Abel	4	2	4	0	0	10
Isaac	1	1	2	0	0	4
Thomas	2	0	3	0	0	5
County Totals	16	13	26	0	0	55
State Totals	80	81	145	0	0	306

VIRGINIA

State Enumeration of 1782

Note: First figure is number of free whites; second is number of blacks (presumably slaves); third is the total number of all persons in the household, white or black; free or slave. There were no town records.

Amelia County

David	6	3	9
County Totals	6	3	9

Charlotte County

James	9	4	13
County Totals	9	4	13

Cumberland County

Thomas	9	0	9
James	3	0	3
County Totals	12	0	12

Fairfax County

John	5	1	6
Samuel	1	1	2
Samuel, Jr.	5	6	11
Simon	2	3	5
William	8	20	28
Abednego	7	12	19
County Totals	28	43	71

Fluvanna County

Richard	7	41	48
James	9	13	22
Robert	4	5	9
William	4	2	6
County Totals	24	61	85

Frederick County

John	3	0	3
Henry	6	0	6
William	7	0	7
John	6	0	6
John, Jr.	5	0	5
Joseph	1	0	1
County Totals	28	0	28

Halifax County

Nipper	5	1	6
Joshua	9	8	17

William	7	0	7
John	7	1	8
County Totals	28	10	38

Hanover County

John	11	0	11
County Totals	11	0	11

VIRGINIA

State Enumeration of 1784-1785

This enumeration lists only free white persons, the total number of which is shown in first group of figures following the name of the householder. The second figures show the number of dwelling houses owned by the family; third is other buildings on the estate.

Cumberland County 1784

Thomas	9	1	5
County Totals	9	1	5

Gloucester County 1784

Ambrose	5	1	2
Zachariah	7	1	3
County Totals	12	2	5

Northumberland County 1784

Lott	4	1	2
County Totals	4	1	2

Surry County 1784

Nathaniel	1	1	3
James	1	1	0
William	2	1	3
County Totals	4	3	6

Amelia County 1785

David	1	1	8
County Totals	1	1	8

Fairfax County 1785

John	4	1	2
Simon	3	1	3
Samuel	3	1	5
Samuel, Jr.	3	1	4
Abednego	6	1	4
County Totals	19	5	18

Halifax County 1785

John	7	1	3
William	8	1	1
Nipper	6	2	1
Joshua	9	2	2
John	7	1	3
Will	8	1	0
Richard	5	1	0
County Totals	50	9	10

New Kent County 1785

Peter	4	1	2
John	6	1	1
County Totals	10	2	3

Mecklenburg County

Thomas	5	0	5
John	2	0	2
David	11	1	12
James	6	0	6
William	8	0	8
County Totals	32	1	33

New Kent County

Richard	4	18	22
County Totals	4	18	22

Northumberland County

Lot	6	0	6
County Totals	6	0	6

Pittsylvania County

James	9	0	9
Charles L.	3	13	16
Thomas	5	0	5
John	6	2	8
Robert	7	3	10
John	5	1	6
Allen	7	2	9
Cain	5	2	7
Nathan	7	0	7
County Totals	54	23	77

Richmond City

Richard	12	18	30
Tabitha (age 20)	1	0	1

Richard Adams, merchant, age 56; wife Elizabeth, age 45. Children: Tabitha, age 24; Elizabeth Griffin, age 23; Thomas Bowler, age 22; Richard, Jr., age 21; William (age not known); Ann, age 18; Sarah, age 16; Allicea, age 13; John, age 8; and Samuel, age 6. Owned 8 slaves tithable and 10 not tithable; 8 cattle; 3 horses; 6 wheels; and 8 or 9 improved lots in the City of Richmond.

City Totals	13	18	31

Surry County

William	5	2	7
William	1	5	6
Martha	3	7	10
County Totals	9	14	23

Sussex County

James	7	0	7
Thomas	7	1	8
County Totals	14	1	15
State Totals	278	196	474

VIRGINIA

State Enumeration of 1783

Amherst County

Thomas	1	19	20
County Totals	1	19	20

Thomas Adams probably resided in another county.

Gloucester County

Zachh	6	2	8
County Totals	6	2	8

Zachh Adams resided in Kingston Parish.

Shenandoah County

Susannah	1	0	1
County Totals	1	0	1
State Totals	8	21	29

Note: The State Census of 1783 is only belated returns of the Enumeration of 1782.

Orange County 1785

John	4	1	0
Benjamin	1	1	4
County Totals	5	2	4

Pittsylvania County 1785

Nathaniel	7	1	0
Charles L.	3	1	5
Elkannah	6	1	1
John, Sr.	5	1	6
John, Jr.	7	1	0
Mourning	6	1	4
Allen	6	1	1
Thomas	5	0	1
Absalom	7	1	0
Sylvester	7	1	6
George	6	1	8
Nathan	8	0	2
County Totals	73	10	34

Prince Edward County 1785

William Robert	7	2	0
County Totals	7	2	0

Greenbriar County 1786

George	1	0	0
County Totals	1	0	0
State Totals	194	37	87

Marriage Index

You are invited to add to this Index of Marriages. Additions will be published with donors names when complete court house indexes or records are submitted. Published sources will be accepted if acknowledgement is given the original transcriber. The following are taken from original sources and published sources. Extractions have been made from works of Kentucky Ancestors, East Kentuckian, Elizabeth P. Ellsberry and Hoosier Genealogist. Original records were copied by Dorothy A. Griffith, a co-editor of ADAMS ADDENDA. Help complete a master index of Adams marriages.

ADAMS	SPOUSE	PLACE	NOTES	DATES
Abslum	Frazure, Nancy	Perry Co. Ky.	Book A:33	1832
Alanson	Bush, Cornelia	Boone Co. Ky.	dau. Hannah Willis	11 Nov 1826
Alanson	Hull, Mildred	Boone Co. Ky.	dau. Benj. Glore	16 Nov 1826
Alfred	McCready, Emily	Mason Co. Ky.	Elias Adams, Bd.	13 Dec 1845
Amy S.	Markwell, Alexander	Fleming Co. Ky.		31 Dec 1840
Anna D.	Folkerts, Frank	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:218	1867
Anne	Denny, Alexander	Lincoln Co. Ky.		10 Jun 1785
Barsheba	Marshall, Johnson	Floyd Co. Ky.		4 Feb 1830
Benjamin	Jenkins, Nancy	Fayette Co. Ky.	Wm. Jinkins, Bd.	11 Aug 1812
Benjamin	Holebrook, Nancy	Floyd Co. Ky.		10 Feb 1816
Benjamin F.	Evans, Elizabeth	Mason Co. Ky.		1880
Betsy	Caudill, John	Floyd Co. Ky.		15 Aug 1819
Catherine	Estes, Clement	Fayette Co. Ky.	Absalom Adams, Bd.	7 May 1810
Catherine	Nicholas ?	Mason Co. Ky.	Book 10:264	1871
Christ	Kettring, Lizzie	Mason Co. Ky.	Book C11:45	1873
Cloe	Glithroe, John F.	Carroll Co. Ill.		21 Oct 1847
Crelan H.	Fall, Elizabeth	Franklin Co. Ky.		14 Apr 1834
Cynthia	Clark, Thomas	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:35	1835
Daniel	Stone, Janice(Jean)	Floyd Co. Ky.		30 Apr 1818
Daniel	Collingsworth	Floyd Co. Ky.		21 Mar 1857
Daniel E.	Bartlett, Rachel	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:38	1835
David	Hick, Amanda	Fleming Co. Ky.		7 May 1844
David	Southerland, Anna E.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:86	1847
David	Carter, Beckie	Mason Co. Ky.	Book 4:161	1867
Dewitt C.	Fay, Sarah	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:111	1851
Douglas	Hamilton, Nancy	Floyd Co. Ky.		11 Mar 1868
Edward	Mitchell, Julia E.	Mason Co. Ky.	Book C9:449	1870
Eleanor	Hutchinson, Lewis	Mason Co. Ky.	Johnston Armstrong, Bd. James Adams, father	13 Nov 1817
Eli P.	Slack, Martha	Mason Co. Ky.	Jacob Slack, Bd.	1 Jul 1846
Elias	Cadwell, Almira	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:10	ca 1816
Eliza	Goltmann, George	Carroll Co. Ill.	Book B.	27 Aug 1843
Eliza	Pembroke, Alton W.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:197	1865
Eliza G.	West, William	Franklin Co. Ky.		26 Feb 1825

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Elizabeth	Clark, Christ	Lincoln Co. Ky.	dau. of Katy & Christopher Haner	25 Dec 1788
Elizabeth	Norton, George	Fayette Co. Ky.	John Adams, bd.	7 Mar 1803
Elizabeth	May, James	Floyd Co. Ky.		1 Mar 1821
Elizabeth	Utz, David	Boone Co. Ky.		23 Sep 1824
Elizabeth	Steers, John W.	Boone Co. Ky.	Matthew Adams, bd.	18 Sep 1828
Elvira	Hull, William	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 7:6	1870
Emil	Hill, Mary	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:155	1858
Emily	Stokes, Charles	Mason Co. Ky.	Book C-3:367	1876
Emily J.	Ottman, Sefference	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:224	1869
Fannie M.	Hays, William	Mason Co. Ky.	Book 7:365	1866
Frank	Thomas, Lucy	Mason Co. Ky.	Book C-3:183	1874
Franky	Davis, Benjamin	Fayette Co. Ky.	Absalom Adams, bd.	3 Jun 1813
G.F.	Helton, Rosanna	Floyd Co. Ky.		20 Apr 1870
George Jr.	McDonald, Rachel	Fayette Co. Ky.	John Irwin, bd.	5 May 1807
George	Weisiger, Anna M.	Franklin Co. Ky.		2 Mar 1811
George	Caudill, Henrietta	Floyd Co. Ky.		20 Feb 1820
George	McIntire, Jane	Fleming Co. Ky.		26 Sep 1816
Gilbert	Coburn, Ann W.	Mason Co. Ky.	Johnston Armstrong,bd. John Coburn, father	25 Jan 1819
Gilbert	Irwin, Frances	Mason Co. Ky.		28 Dec 1833
Gilbert	Prater, Perlina	Floyd Co. Ky.		21 Aug 1846
Gilbert	O'Bannon, Virginia	Fleming Co. Ky.		28 Jul 1853
Gretze	Teitken, William J.	Madison Co. Ky.	Book 7:115	1880
Hannah	Campbell, Jesse	Mason Co. Ky.	Jesse Reed, bd.	3 May 1841
Harriett	Johnson, Ebenezer	Fleming Co. Ky.		25 Jun 1837
Harriet C.	Evans, Gilbert	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:50	1844
Henry	Adams, Edge	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:125	1855
Henry	Conroy, Rose	Mason Co. Ky.	Book C12:103	1875
Irvin	Chestnut, Nancy	Knox Co. Ky.		4 Jun 1807
Irwin	Ellis, Levicy	Floyd Co. Ky.		16 Jul 1818
Isaac	Steers, Catherine	Boone Co. Ky.	Hugh Steers, Bd.	31 Oct 1822
Isaac	Hays, Nancy	Perry Co. Ky.	Book A:28	1831
Jackson	Cooper, Nancy	Floyd Co. Ky.		27 Jul 1837
Jackson	Reffitt, Deltha	Floyd Co. Ky.		13 May 1847
Jacob	Beauchamp, Nelly A.	Fayette Co. Ky.	Samuel Beauchamp, bd.	1 Apr 1811
Jacob	Brown, Mary L.	Fleming Co. Ky.		17 Dec 1834
James	McAfee, Mary	Mercer Co. Ky.		29 Nov 1794
James	Carter, Sally	Mason Co. Ky.	P.Hastings,minister's return	19 Dec 1802
James	Barnett, Sarah	Fayette Co. Ky.	David Wilson, bd.	6 Jan 1809
James	Davis, Mary	Brown Co. Ohio		8 Jun 1820

James	Hare, Jane	Brown Co. Ohio		15 Jan 1828
James	Stratton, Milly	Floyd Co. Ky.		19 Aug 1847
James L.	Lippy, Elizabeth A.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:66	1843
James L.	Albright, Louise	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:96	1851
Jane	Gullett, Daniel	Floyd Co. Ky.		20 Dec 1821
Jane	Rice, John	Floyd Co. Ky.		15 Jan 1857
Jenny	Robertson, Robert	Mercer Co. Ky.		26 Mar 1795
Jesse		Perry Co. Ky.	Bride not given, presumed: Polly Mullins	1822
Jesse	Martin, Rhoda	Floyd Co. Ky.		9 Jun 1816
Jesse		Perry Co. Ky.	Bride presumed to be Dicy Mullins	1832
John	Roberts, Elizabeth	Franklin Co. Ky.		11 Aug 1804
John	Holtzclaw, Sally	Fayette Co. Ky.	Archibald Holtzclaw,bd.	5 Jun 1813
John	Haden, Sophia	Fleming Co. Ky.		9 Oct 1817
John		Perry Co. Ky.	Bride not given	1828
John	Bouton, Esther C.	Elkhart Co. Ind.		27 May 1847
John	Logan, Lucy	Fleming Co. Ky.		22 May 1849
John	Hauskins, Alvira	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:178	1862
John	Clay, Margaret J.	Floyd Co. Ky.		22 Jul 1866
John C.	Warnick, Elizabeth	Boone Co. Ky.	Robert Adams, bd. Signed by Thos. Adams	4 Sep 1819
John D.	Turner, Rachel	Brown Co. Ohio		26 Aug 1818
John H.	Pomeroy, Matilda	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:53	before 1843
John J.	Scroggins, Nancy	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:28	before 1835
Joseph	Neff, Elizabeth	Elkhart Co. Ind.		22 Feb 1849
Julia A.	Pembrocke, Thomas C.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:199	1865
Katherinia	Alesit, Gus	Mason Co. Ky.	Book 12:67	1875
Kitty	Grimes, Sylvester	Fayette Co. Ky.	Fulton Thompson, bd.	29 May 1809
Larkin	Grady, Nancy	Fayette Co. Ky.		9 Sep 181-
Letty	Steers, William	Boone Co. Ky.	Thomas Adams, bd.	23 Aug 1806
Letty	Shearer, Washington	Russell Co. Ky.		16 Apr 1828
Lucy A.	Maryfield, James R.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:194	1865
Lydia	Batchelor, Benjamin	Elkhart Co. Ind.		22 Sep 1839
Mahala	Bailey, William P.	Floyd Co. Ky.		13 Jan 1859
Margaret	Bond, John	Lincoln Co. Ky.	George Adams, uncle	4 Jan 1785
Margaret	Bailey, Alfred	Floyd Co. Ky.		15 Jan 1843
Martha	Connelly, Nathan	Boone Co. Ky.	John C. Adams, bd. Permission-R. Adams	5 Oct 1830
Martha	Clark, Addison	Floyd Co. Ky.		16 May 1864
Martin	Reffett, Catherine	Floyd Co. Ky.		23 Dec 1866
Mary	Wilson, Thomas	Lincoln Co. Ky.	Consent:Wm.A.Adams	5 Mar 1783

Mary	Wells, Aaron	Mason Co. Ky.	Andrew Adams, bd.	10 Sep 1804
Mary	May, James	Floyd Co. Ky.		30 Mar 1820
Mary	Naylor, George	Fleming Co. Ky.		28 Mar 1839
Mary	Adams, William	Floyd Co. Ky.		22 Aug 1841
Mary	Musick, A.J.	Floyd Co. Ky.		27 Dec 1866
Mary	Morris, Charles G.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 7:37	1876
Mary Ann	Hazlett, Robert M.	Fleming Co. Ky.		26 Aug 1841
Mary Eliza	Deal, Peter	Mason Co. Ky.	Book C-3:19	1872
Mary Jane	Ryrie, Daniel D.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:100	1851
Matilda	Marshall, James	Floyd Co. Ky.		9 Feb 1836
Matthew	Black, Jane	Boone Co. Ky.	Charles Brasher, bd.	29 Aug 1810
Matthew	Patrick, Polly	Floyd Co. Ky.		26 Feb 1824
Mollie	Yazel, Avery B.	Mason Co. Ky.	Book 11:399	1874
Mollie	Frank, Jacob	Madison Co. Ky.	Book 7:53	187-
Moses		Perry Co. Ky.	A:11(Kesiah Hays ?)	1825
Moses		Perry Co. Ky.	A:26 (Sarah ?)	1831
Moses		Perry Co. Ky.	A:28 (Rebecca Roberts ?)	1834
Nancy	Sumner, John	Perry Co. Ky.	A:21	1828
Nancy	Hill, James	Brown Co. Ohio		20 May 1825
Nancy	Howard, Benjamin	Floyd Co. Ky.		1 Apr 1834
Nancy	Frasher, Granville	Floyd Co. Ky.		1 Aug 1841
Nancy A.	Bartlett, Jesse	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:22	1831
Narcissa	Parker, Littleton	Fleming Co. Ky.		4 Nov 1847
Newell	Sophronia Parker	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:73	1847
Oeje	Luker, Hilka F.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:136	1855
Otman	Muller, Teter Hein	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:151	1855
Peggy	Markswood, George	Mercer Co. Ky.		17 Nov 1795
Phebe F.	Bayles, George W.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 7:42	1876
Polly(widow)	Gilliam, Stark	Fayette Co. Ky.	John Boulware, bd.	21 Dec 1805
Polly	Combs, John	Mercer Co. Ky.		15 Feb 1798
Polly	Stephens, Micajah	Boone Co. Ky.	Thomas Adams, bd.	11 Mar 1830
Polly		Perry Co. Ky.	A:30 (Samuel Cornett)	1832
Polly	Fletcher, Simon	Floyd Co. Ky.		24 Nov 1847
Presley	Stephens, Mary	Boone Co. Ky.	Samuel Stevens, bd.	25 Aug 1831
Preston	Patrick, Elizabeth	Floyd Co. Ky.		15 Apr 1852
Preston	Bailey, Narcissa	Floyd Co. Ky.		13 Jan 1859
Rachel	Stockton, Milton	Fleming Co. Ky.		27 Aug 1818
Rachel	Jillson	Fleming Co. Ky.		10 Feb 1847
Randle		Perry Co. Ky.	A:5 (Nancy ?)	1823
Rebecca	Jones, William W.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:74	1847
Rebecca	Bailey, Lewis	Floyd Co. Ky.		1853
Robert	McDonald, Polly	Fayette Co. Ky.	Chas. & Hannah McDonald	9 Jan 1810

Robert	Conley, Betsey	Boone Co. Ky.	Arthur Connely,signed	8 Jun 1812
Robert	Smith, Lucretia	Mason Co. Ky.	Mahlon Collins, Bd.	12 Oct 1815
Robert	Bondurant, Elizabeth	Boone Co. Ky.	Th. Bondurant, Bd.	16 Mar 1834
Rose Ann	Shepherd, Daniel	Floyd Co. Ky.		20 Sep 1866
Sabra	Starkey, Jesse	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:17	1828
Sally	Camper, Benjamin	Fayette Co. Ky.	James Adams, bond Absalom Adams, father	18 Nov 1803
Sally	Ballon, Richard	Knox Co. Ky.		25 Dec 1804
Sally	Maggard, John	Floyd Co. Ky.		13 Aug 1818
Sally	Blair, May	Floyd Co. Ky.		17 May 1829
Sally	Salmons, Jonathan	Floyd Co. Ky.		1855
Samuel	Ashley, Eliza	Franklin Co. Ky.		14 Mar 1818
Sarah	Wooten, Silas	Floyd Co. Ky.		4 Jul 1821
Sarah	McGray, Jacob	Fleming Co. Ky.		30 Nov 1841
Sarah	Bays, Martin	Floyd Co. Ky.		22 Jun 1849
Sarah	Cates, John R.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 7:36	1876
Sarah	Hopkins, George	Floyd Co. Ky.		28 Dec 1867
Sarah K.	Bird, John C.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:158	1858
Silvester	Lacy, Hanna	Floyd Co. Ky.		1 Aug 1819
Solomon		Perry Co. Ky.	A:18 (bride not given)	1827
Spencer		Perry Co. Ky.	A:48	1840
Stephen		Perry Co. Ky.	A:7 (Sarah Adams ?)	1823
Stephen		Perry Co. Ky.	A:36 (Nancy ?)	1833
Susan W.	Owens, Robert D.	Franklin Co. Ky.		30 Nov 1815
Thornton	Tudor, Ellen	Floyd Co. Ky.	Thomas Tudor, bd.	30 Jun 1845
Washington		Perry Co. Ky.	A:25 (Polly Hall ?)	1830
Washington F.	Scott, Emily J.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:76	1847
Wiley D.	Prater, Biddie	Floyd Co. Ky.		7 Apr 1847
William	Adams, Sarah	Mercer Co. Ky.		22 Mar 1798
William	Lawrence, Ann	Mason Co. Ky.		18 May 1800
William	Beach, Peggy	Fayette Co. Ky.	Joseph Beach, bd.	16 May 1810
William	Grace, Christine	Floyd Co. Ky.		24 Feb 1818
William		Perry Co. Ky.	A:10 (Mary ?)	1825
William	Pattie, Lucy	Franklin Co. Ky.		17 Apr 1836
William		Perry Co. Ky.	A:48	1840
William	Adams, Mary	Floyd Co. Ky.		22 Aug 1841
William	Blair, Sarah	Floyd Co. Ky.		27 Jun 1841
William		Perry Co. Ky.	bride not given A:53	1844
William	Royse, Lucinda	Fleming Co. Ky.		18 May 1845
William	Jackson, Malinda	Fleming Co. Ky.		5 Jan 1848
William	Fuller, Nancy	Floyd Co. Ky.		1853
William	Blevins, Harriett	Floyd Co. Ky.		29 Nov 1871

William	Patton, Winny	Floyd Co. Ky.		16 Feb 1869
William H.	Evans, Unice	Floyd Co. Ky.		22 Jan 1823
William Henry	Warner, Emma	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 7:80	1879
William Joseph	Wallace, Sarah C.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:234	1870
William N.	Abbott, Martha E.	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 7:59	1879
William R.	Jett, Lucy Ann	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:55	1843
Willoughby	Seago, Elizabeth	Madison Co. Ill.	Book 6:81	1847
Winnie	Castle, George P.	Floyd Co. Ky		6 Jul 1869
Zelpha	Prater, Elias	Floyd Co. Ky.		30 Jan 1846

CEMETERY and CHURCH RECORDS

ADAMS CEMETERY, PIKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ADAMS

Jeremiah G, (Father)	1827-1903
Jane E. (his Wife) (Mother)	1829-1909
Laura	1860-1952
Clarence	1857-1875
Maggie	1865-1954
(above names on one stone)	
Israel A.	1803-1883
Harriet G.	1803-1884
(above on stone of Edna Gacisle Roose)	
George S.	1862-1932
Della R.	1866-1956
George Houston	1892-1897
Cornelius	1855-1926
Cornelius A.	1826-1864

BETHEL CEMETERY, TANEY COUNTY MISSOURI

Submitted by Kenneth Maggard, Marietta, Ga.

Jesse	1799-1874
Margaret, unmarked, nee Maggard	
George, son of Elijah W. & Sue J.	1893-1894
Violet, dau. of I. F. and F. M.	1898-1899
Rozela, dau. of Isaac F. & Fannie M.	1900-1900

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH of CHICAGO

June 1, 1842 to June 1, 1892. Knight, Leonard, & Co., Chicago. 1892. Republished in Chicago Genealogist, V. 3, No. 1, 1970.

ADAMS	ADMITTED
Benjamin	31 Aug. 1853
Francis C. B. (Mrs.)	24 Aug. 1853
Frances J. (Miss)	29 June 1864
G. W.	29 June 1860
Gustavus	5 Sep. 1856
Hattie	14 Sep. 1870
James	31 Aug. 1853
James (Mrs.)	31 Aug. 1853
Joanna (Mrs.)	31 Aug. 1853
John B.	2 May 1869
Julia (Miss)	31 Aug. 1853
L. J. (Mrs.)	5 Sep. 1856
Louisa H. (Mrs.)	28 Apr. 1874
M. F.	4 Apr. 1866
Mary L. (Mrs.)	28 Feb. 1879
Nettie Roberts (Mrs.)	1 Mar. 1891
Nilla M. (Miss)	19 June 1864
W. W.	3 July 1846

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* ADAMS BIBLE RECORDS WANTED ! ! ! ! *
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AN'QUEST'ORS

You are invited to submit free queries to be printed as space permits and subject to editing and revision. All query answers will be returned to the publishers. Extractions will be made for our files. then answers will be published on a future ADAMS ANSWERS page.
Please follow these rules when sending free queries: Print or type query on a 3x5 card. Be sure your name and address is on each card submitted. (One query per card, please.)

1-1 CHARLES, GEORGE, & SPENCER ADAMS were sons of CHARLES ADAMS who died 1781, Wilkes Co. N.C. (Will Bk. 1, pgs.77,81,90,213) Who were other sibling? Who were parents of BENJAMIN, JOHN, and WILLIAM ADAMS? Would like to hear from other descendants.

]-2 ELIZABETH ADAMS m. J. M. SHELBY ca 1853. Where? Margaret (dau.) b. 1854, Ark., Saul B. (son) born 1856. ELIZABETH ADAMS SHELBY then wed Mr. GEE. 1880 census of Bell Co. Tx.,has birthplace of ELIZABETH in Miss. Where? Who were her parents?

1-3 Need parents of HENRY ADAMS. Wife SUSANNAH ---, d. 1821 Wilkes Co. N.C., Rev. War soldier. Need names of all children.

1-4 Need parents of CHARLES ADAMS b. ca 1787, d. 3 Jan. 1872 in Wilkes Co. N.C. M. ? , (NANCY STAMPER). Need her parentage.

1-5 JOHN ADAMS d. before 1835, Perry Co. Ky. Was he m. to WINNIE BUSSELL(RUSSELL) in Rowan Co. N.C.? Need her parents. Elizabeth ADAMS (dau) m. ARCHELAUS CRAFT in Wilkes Co. N.C. about 1789. Need proof. Where & when did ELIZABETH ADAMS CRAFT die?

1-6 MICAJAH ADAMS information wanted. Was in Rev. War. Had brothers JOHN & JONATHAN ADAMS. Need parents & other children in family. MICAJAH b. 1759, d. 16 Jan 1842., m. ELIZABETH HOLSTON 31 Oct. 1785 in Bedford Co., Virginia.

1 7 CHARLES ADAMS marr. REBECCA TAYLOR in Sussex Co. Del., One child b. in Del., 8 others in Ohio (where?), (one was CHARLES WESLEY ADAMS. Last child, JOHN, b. Scott Co. Ill. in 1850. Need parents & children of CHARLES & REBECCA ADAMS.

1-8 Of the ADAMS family that left Lancaster Co. Pa., I am a great-gr-granddau. of WILLIAM ADAMS & MARY ROWAN. My great-grand father was MARTIN ADAMS. & his wife a DUERSON. Need data on the first WILLIAM ADAMS & DUERSON lines.

1-9 The following query appeared in the JAMES TAYLOR ADAMS periodical of 1929. The information is still being sought but by a later generation. Original researcher had initials of MAB..... Wanted to hear from all the desc. of William ADAMS who came from Ireland & settled in Pa. Some of his sons moved to Ky.(Henry Co) & others went west about, or soon after, the Rev. War. Also want the desc. of his nephew & son-in-law, WILLIAM ADAMS. Tradition says he settled in Henry Co.,Ky. & lived to be over 100 years.

1-10 An ABSOLOM ADAMS m. MARY PRICKETT, dau. of ISRAEL PICKETT in Franklin Co. Ga., 1806. Need antecedents & former residence of each. Can you place them? Please help.

1-11 Who was MARY ADAMS who marr. JOSEPH HOWDESHELL, 1793, in Lincoln Co., Kentucky?

1-12 ROBERT ADAMS b. 1602, Devonshire, Eng., d. 1] Oct. 1682 in Newbury, Mass., m. ELEANOR WILMOT of Devonshire. CH: JACOB, born 13 Apr. 1651, Newbury (Essex) Ms., d. 1717 Boston (Suffolk) Mass. & JOANNA b. 1633, d. Suffield, Cn., marr. LAUNCELOT GRANGER. Info needed and exchanged on this family.

1-13 Parents & place of birth wanted of JAMES ADAMS. Supposedly born 1795, Franklin Co. Va., marr. 1820 to FRANCES HERNDON, dau. of EDWARD HERNDON, SR., & NANCY ANN RUCKER, both originally from Orange & Madison Co's, Va., & residents of Ruckersville, (Elbert Co.) Ga. Believe JAMES ADAMS to be son of ROBERT & CECILY FORD ADAMS of Va.

1-14 Exact dates needed! ALLEN ADAMS b. 1803-5 or 1817, Oldham Co. Ky., m. #1..SUSAN VANCE about 1838-42. M. #2..Mrs. ELIZA AUGUSTA (TALIAFERRO) THORNTON (b. 1825 Oldham Co.Ky.) on 26 Oct.1854 in Oldham Co. ALLEN & AUGUSTA d. after 1880 in Skylight, Oldham Co. Ky. When???

1-15 Who were parents of MARY KIRKWOOD, b. 10 May 1776 in Va. or Pa.? M. FRANCIS ADAMS on 21 Jan. 1800 in Jefferson Co. Ky. Died 12 Oct. 1850 in Skylight, Oldham Co. Ky. They were the par. of ALLEN ADAMS in query 1-14 (above).

1-16 Would like proof of the following: LEVI ADAMS. b. N.C.(Anson Co. ?) 1811. M. SUSAN RICE WEBB in 1830's Henderson Co.Tenn. D. 1879 Henderson Co. Tn. Left N.C. at age 15 according to family diary. Have extensive information to share if interested.

1-17 NEEDED! Place & date of marr. of WILLIAM ADAMS & SARAH ?, (first child b. 20 May 1799 in Tenn.). Place & date of marr. of JOHN ADAMS & REBECCA ? (first child b. ca 1824 in Tenn.). First marr. date & bride of ABSALOM ADAMS in "East Tennessee", (first child b. 18 Oct. 1828 when ABSALOM was 18 yrs. old.)

1-18 Parents of JAMES ADAMS wanted. M. JENNY CUNNINGHAM 12 June 1772 in Charlotte Co. Va. #2 m. LEANNA ?. Served in Rev. War. D. 1803 Charlotte Co. CH: JAMES, DAVID, PEGGY(RANDAL), SALLY LAWSON), WILLIAM, POLLY(STEVENSON), ELIZABETH(BROWN), JOHN, ANNA, & dec'd dau. WILLIAM ADAMS m. SALLY BROWN, 6 Feb. 1794. Moved to Mo. ca 1816. They d. 1832, St. Louis Co. Mo. Desc. in Franklin & Montgomery Co. Mo. Have extensive file to share.

1-19 SAMUEL R. ADAMS b. 15 Dec. 1792, m. LUCINDA MOORE (where & when?). Dau. FANNIE R. ADAMS b. 1 Dec. 1831 in Hamilton Co. Ohio m. AARON MONTGOMERY, 30 Aug. 1858 in Decatur Co. Ind. Need death date & parentage of SAMUEL R. ADAMS.

1-20 In 1850 census of Ste. Genevieve Co. Mo. JAMES B. ADAMS reported he was 30 yrs. old and born in Md. His neighbor was Jos. Vansickle from Va. In 1870 census he was 56 & b. in Virginia. He is not listed in 1880 census. He is said to have visited dau. Sarah Jane GEHRS in Springfield, Mo. in 1910? What became of him

1-21 NOTE: The query preceding and the following were not by same persons. They have been put in touch. Can you help?

1-21 According to family tradition JAMES B. ADAMS was b. 1819 in Md. M. ELIZABETH VAN SICKLE (b. 1822, Pa.). Lived in Ky. 1840's & mov. to Mo. about 1848. Have found no record in Ky. Have you? Their son, JOSEPH PHILIP ADAMS was b. 18 Nov. 1853. Where? Other children: SARAH JANE b. 1848 (m. SAUERS ca 1864 [where?]), JAMES b. 1856 & JOHN b. 1858. Will appreciate info on any JAMES B. ADAMS anywhere in Ky., Mo., or Maryland. Thank you.

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We are delighted with the warm response the ADDENDA has received. We are overwhelmed with your compliments, encouragement, and the material contributed. We, very humbly, "thank you".

Since our last visit with you we have been very busy gathering material and ideas, taking part in presenting a Genealogical Fair to the Midwest, and traveling afar on genealogical journeys. Never has the time passed so swiftly!

Mrs. Seibel profited by her visit to Virginia's Genealogical Conference in Richmond as I was browsing in North Carolina Archives in Raleigh. Evidence in this issue's Marriage Index proves I stopped in several courthouse buildings (can't pass up a dome) in Tennessee, Kentucky and Virginia. Mrs. Seibel had suggested I visit the Adams Library in Wise, Virginia to evaluate the contents. I did.

I returned with but one thought, "We cannot let that happen to us". I am speaking of the lack of an index or catalogue. An effort has been made to place some material in file folders with index tabs. Some were empty, others did not hold material pertaining to the index tab. Time and people have re-arranged the cataloguing.

It's easy to say "It's not going to happen to us", but it's another THING to employ an index that will not have to be changed periodically or one completely adaptable to every need. On the other hand, we do not wish to become so bogged down with keeping a record of records that we have time for little else. We are in a quandary!

James Taylor Adams collected Adamses for over thirty years. The collection of over a hundred boxes consists of letters (many in original envelopes), manuscripts, documents, genealogies, photographs, ballads, and miscellaneous historical material. About one half the boxes are of genealogical interest. Many letters are simple inquiries of little or no value.

Since the collection has not been catalogued in all this time, it is evident outside help is required. A simple solution is to microfilm the material and place where help is available. Verbally, consent was given to do this. However, written permission has not been granted at this writing.

Some papers will require special handling as time and temperatures seemingly have sealed them. Once opened and filmed, the paper can

be preserved for all time. Preparation will, by itself, be time consuming. Any one desiring to help uncover secrets within the many boxes may write us for further particulars. A letter to Clinch Valley College in Wise, Virginia urging participation in this project may be of tremendous value to all of us. Depending upon negotiations the resulting film may be available for loan or rent.

Test copies were made of material from the collection. (See Bible Records)

Perhaps, in the next issue we will tell the story of James Taylor Adams.

Now, more about this issue:

Enclosed is a Family Group Sheet to be filled in and returned to us. Use an early Adams family and supply as much information as possible. Send in several if you wish. We will file, and publish (with written permission).

We invite comments on this new feature. Perhaps Mrs. Plummer will inform us of the response she may get from the presentation. Note sample in right column.

Please notify the Addenda of address changes. This is operation SHOE-STRING! A returned Adams Addenda is another postage fee plus a delay in arrival of your copy.

Proof reading is a tedious, tiresome, and difficult task. Please inform us of errors, whether of typographical or material content. It is not our intent to compound mistakes.

Ruth Seibel joins me in wishing you---
"HAPPY HUNTING".....Dorothy A. Griffith

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FAMILY GROUP No. _____ ADAMS (SURNAME)

Husband's Full Name: DAVID ADAMS (REVEREND)

Vital Data	Day Mo. Year	Town	County	State or Country
Birth	7 Dec. 1798	Blountville	Sullivan	Tennessee
Christen.				
Marriage	4 June 1822			
Death	1 Apr. 1853	Cause Breast tumor.		
Burial		Cemetery: Adams Cem., Strawberry Plains, Tenn.		

Father's Full Name MICAJAH ADAMS (Rev. War) Mother's Maiden Name ELIZABETH HOLSTON

Other wives: Remarks: SUSANNAH ACUFF CRAFT (1812-1896)

Wife's Full Maiden Name: LETITIA CALFEE

Vital Data	Day Mo. Year	Town	County	State or Country
Birth	1798			
Christen.				
Death	1834			
Burial				

Father's Full Name JOHN CALFEE Mother's Maiden Name LETITIA -----

Other husbands: Remarks: MILITARY SERVICE: David Adams in War of 1812

CHILDREN

Sex	Full Name	Vital Data	Date	Place
F	1 SARAH JANE	Birth	28 Feb. 1823	
		Death	in infancy	
		Marr.		To:
F	2 ELIZABETH HOLSTON	Birth	7 Jan. 1824	
		Death	in infancy	
		Marr.		To:
M	3 STEPHAN DELANEY	Birth	10 June 1825	
		Death	25 Dec. 1853	Burnsville, N.C.
		Marr.	10 Mar. 1848	To: Cornelia SHEPHERD
F	4 MARY LETITIA	Birth	12 June 1825	
		Death	5 Feb. 1881	Woodville, Ky.
		Marr.	29 Sep. 1846	To: Bartley Marshall HODGES
F	5 LOUISE ZILPHA	Birth	10 May 1828	
		Death	1 Mar. 1862	
		Marr.		To: Never married
F	6 MARGARET MARTHA RHODA	Birth	4 Mar. 1832	
		Death	in infancy	
		Marr.		To:
BY SECOND WIFE, SUSAN	7 SAMUEL HILL	Birth	1 Sep. 1836	
		Death	1 June 1862	Served Conf. Army. Died of
		Marr.	n.m.	Wounds in Battle 7 Pines.
F	8 AMANDA WILKERSON	Birth	7 Jan. 1838	Knox County, Tenn.
		Death	15 Nov. 1908	Strawberry Plains, Tenn.
		Marr.		To: J. Curtis BAILEY
F	9 NANCY CAROLINE	Birth	14 May 1840	
		Death	16 May 1884	Strawberry Plains, Tenn.
		Marr.		To: Thomas W. DOANE
M	10 THOMAS FLETCHER	Birth	29 Mar. 1842	Knox County, Tenn.
		Death	12 May 1909	Knoxville, Tenn.
		Marr.	27 Dec. 1865	To: Margaret Adeline HODGES
F	1 MELINDA ROGERS	Birth	10 Mar. 1844	
		Death	20 Nov. 1844	
		Marr.		To:
M	2 JAMES ANDREW THORNTON	Birth	23 Feb. 1847	
		Death	13 Mar. 1915	Knox County, Tenn.
		Marr.	7 Jan. 1825	To: Kate Mason NEAL
F	3 CORDELIA JOSEPHINE	Birth	10 Sep. 1849	
		Death		Wallace, Virginia
		Marr.	15 Apr. 1870	To: Rev. Milton CLENDENIN
M	4 RUFUS DAVID	Birth	25 Oct. 1851	
		Death	5 Mar. 1891	
		Marr.	n.m.	To:

ADAMS IMMIGRANTS TO AMERICA

By James Taylor Adams

FOR fifty years following Sir Walter Raleigh's ill-fated attempt to plant colonies along the Atlantic seaboard, immigration to America was looked upon in England as a most hazardous undertaking.

The story of the mysterious disappearance of the colony on Roanoke Island had been told and retold until it was a fireside tale in every British home. Stories of hardship and suffering were rife in the land; and intermingled with them were many wild and terrible sounding, superstitiously concocted, tales, picturing, in the most blood chilling manner imaginable, the tragic and violent death awaiting the homeseeker in that strange, new land far across the treacherous sea.

America was, in truth, a dominion of wild beasts and savage people. Supported, as they were, by an evil-omened ocean and a strong superstition, it would take brains, brawn and bravery to wrest it from their grasp. It can not be wondered at then that none but the fearless could be persuaded to tear their lives away from kindred, home and friends, and plunge into the untracked wilderness of the western world, seeking their fortune, where death might be their only reward.

So it came about in those days that the departure of a colonization expedition from the shores of Britain was attended by more real, genuine excitement than would be manifested today if a fleet of airships should fly away, bound for the planet Mars. It was a time for tears; a time for fond farewells; and a time for evil prophesying. Big, strong bodied, men with reputations for daring deeds, lost courage, turned back at the last moment and refused to go. Only the staunch-hearted and resolute set their face toward the west, determined to do or die.

The breaking of home-ties; leaving familiar scenes and a quiet, uneventful life, and crossing the broad Atlantic to

establish a home or seek a fortune in a strange, unfriendly land was an act of courage. Yet it was only the initial test of the strength needed to carry such an undertaking to a successful end. The real, final, soul-searching test was awaiting the immigrant on the shores of America. There he would be confronted by nature, ever at work, trying and testing the new-comer; weeding out the weak from among the strong. Wild, ferocious, animals would stalk him through deep forests; the savage yell of the murderous Indian would disturb his dreams at night; and deadly fevers would be found lurking in every swamp and pool. If he possessed the courage and physique to meet and overcome all these and a thousand other obstacles he stayed to carve his name on the breast of the land where, in after years, it would be honored by a great and appreciative nation; and reverenced by a proud posterity. While, on the other hand, if he failed to pass the supreme test—if he was unable to cope with and master the dangers besetting him on every hand—he soon gave up and went back to the land from whence he came, there to spend a quiet old age, beside a peaceful hearthstone, conjuring up and reciting terrible tales of the life in America, to wide-eyed grandchildren.

Those were times that tried the very souls of men. Spirits were broken until none but the hardy and fearless were left undaunted. It took a strong courage to come to America; it took a mighty resolution to stay when here. Such a condition aided, rather than hindered the substantial growth of the colonies, however. It was a natural system of selection—the choosing of a parent stock from which has sprung the finest type of manhood the world has ever known.

The Adamses were among the first to arrive and no record has been found of one that returned to his fatherland. They had cut all ties that bound them to the old world and came, ready and willing, to tackle the new. They were not lured across the Atlantic through love for adventure. They were a home making, forest felling, nation building people, and came seeking for themselves and posterity, a freedom of thought, speech and action, forever

denied their fathers. And they came prepared to suffer to gain their goal; even unto death.

History shows them ever at the front; leaders in every progressive movement, from subduing the forests to wresting their country from the strangling grasp of a despotic monarch. It was an Adams who hewed out and laid the foundation stone of American Independence; and it was the Adamses who encouraged their countrymen to shake off the heavy yoke of a foreign tyrant, and build thereon one of the greatest nations that lies beneath the heaven's blue.

Onward, westward, they have pushed, not only with the advance of civilization, but leading the parade. They have scaled mountains; broke up prairies; harnessed great rivers; and reclaimed deserts. Today they are to be found in every nook and corner of the United States; leaders, still, in every movement having as its objective the betterment of home, country or mankind.

Records show the Adamses fighting and dying to defend the country which their ancestors suffered so bravely to establish. On every roster can be found their names, from the Revolution to the World War.

The compiler of this work craves no greater honor than the knowledge that he is a descendant of one of these brave-hearted men of old.

JOHN

Was probably the first Adams to set foot on American soil; having arrived on the ship "Fortune" in 1621, and settled at Plymouth, Massachusetts. He married Ellen Newton, who came on the ship "Ann" in 1623; and of whom it was said: "she was the only female north of Chesapeake Bay with such a baptismal name." He died in the year 1633, leaving his wife and three children, John, James and Susan.

RALPH

Was living at "Adams" near Elizabeth City, Virginia, in 1623.

ROBERT

Came on the ship "Bona Nova" before 1624, for in that year he, and his servant, Richard Smith, were witnesses before a Court held at James City in Virginia.

WILLIAM

Born in England, February 3, 1594, he came to America in the spring of 1628. Settled first at Cambridge, then at Newtown, Massachusetts, where he was made freeman in 1639; removed from thence to Ipswich, Massachusetts, prior to 1642, where he died in 1661. He is said to have descended from Randall Adams, of an old Saxon family at Norwood, town of Wem, in Shropshire.

JEREMY

Came to America in 1632, and settled at Braintree, Massachusetts; removed to Cambridge, then called Newtown, in 1635. He went with the Rev. Mr. Hookers company to Hartford, Connecticut, in 1636, where he died August 11, 1683.

HENRY

Came to America with eight sons and one daughter in 1634, and settled at Braintree, Massachusetts. He was the great-great-grandfather of John Adams second President of the United States.

RICHARD

Came in the ship "Abigail" in 1635, and settled in Salem, Massachusetts. He was a bricklayer.

ROBERT

Came to Ipswich, Massachusetts, in 1635, with his wife, Eleanor; thence to Salem in 1638. Settled at Newbury in 1640 on lands still in possession of his descendants. Eleanor died June 12, 1677, and he married, February 9, 1678 Sarah, the widow of Henry Short. He died October 12, 1682, at the age of eighty years.

PHILLIP

Is mentioned in "Farmer's Register" as a "first-comer" to Massachusetts.

ROCHELL

Came to Virginia with James Vanerit in 1636, and settled in Elizabeth City County.

THOMAS

Came to Virginia with John Neale in 1636, and settled in

Accomack County. Records show his name spelled "Addams."

ANDREW

Came to Virginia with Francis Fowler in 1637, and settled in James River County.

THOMAS

Came to Virginia with Humphrey Higgensin in 1637; nothing further is known of him.

GEORGE

Came to Virginia with Captain Francis Eppes in 1637, and settled in Charles River County.

FERNANDINI

Was called a "shoemaker from London" and was living at Dedham, Massachusetts with his wife, Ann, in 1637.

EDE

(Probably Edward) came to Virginia with Richard Milton in 1638, and settled in Charles City County.

RICHARD

Embarked for Virginia in the ship "Globe of London" August 6, 1638. His age was given as 22.

EDWARD

Was living at New Haven, Connecticut, in 1640; at Milford, in 1646; and at Fairfield in 1650. His will, dated August 7, 1671, mentions wife, Margaret and children, Samuel, Abraham, Mary, Merwin, Nathaniel, John and Nathan.

JOHN

Came to Virginia with William Lawson in 1642, and settled in Isle of Wight County.

RICHARD

Came to Virginia with James Whitting in 1643. Records shows his name as "Addams."

ANDREW

Was living at Hartford, Connecticut in 1643, where he was employed as a schoolmaster.

GEORGE

Was at Watertown, Massachusetts, before 1645; removed to Lexington in 1664. He was called a "glover."

CHRISTOPHER

Was at Braintree, Massachusetts, in 1645. Later he removed to Killery where he had a fine estate. In his will dated June 13, 1686, he mentions wife, Margaret and four children, John, Mark, Ann and Mary, also a cousin, named Isaac Goodwright, to whom he gives two cows.

JOHN

Came to Virginia with Roger Johns in 1645, and settled in Northampton County.

THOMAS

Came to Virginia with Lewis Burwell in 1648, and settled in Yorke River County.

CHARLES

Was taxed at Dover, New Hampshire, in 1648. Nothing further known of him.

THOMAS

Came to Virginia with Joseph Croshawe in 1649, and settled in Yorke County.

JOHN

Born in England in 1622, and came to New England in 1650, with his wife, Ann and daughter, Rebecca, and settled at Cambridge, Massachusetts.

WILLIAM

Was in Hartford, Connecticut, in 1650. Bought lands at Farmington in 1653. Died there in 1655. His wife was named Eliza.

WILLIAM

Came to Virginia with John Pouncey in 1652. Nothing further known of him.

ALEXANDER

Was a shipwright in Boston in 1652 where he was made freeman in that year. Later he removed to Dorchester.

NATHANIEL

Was a "turner" in Boston; married there November 25, 1652, Elizabeth, the daughter of Philemon Portmort.

NATHANIEL

Was a blockmaker in Boston in 1653. Married Mary —— by whom he had eleven children. He died March 30, 1690.

PETER

Came to Virginia with John Hansford in 1653, and settled in Gloucester County.

GEORGE

Came to Virginia with Richard Carey in 1643. Nothing further known of him.

RICHARD

Came to Virginia with Captain Nicholas Marteaw in 1654 and settled in Westmoreland County.

WILLIAM

Came to Virginia with George Abbott in 1656, and settled in Nansemond County.

GEORGE

Was at Branford, Connecticut, in 1657 when he married the widow of Leslie Bradfield. His will dated October 10, 1677, mentions only one son, John.

THOMAS

Was at New Haven, Connecticut, April 7, 1657, when he took the oath of fidelity. Married November 27, 1667 Rebecca, daughter of William Potter. There is a story of his having been mistaken, in New Haven, in 1652, for Charles II, of England.

FRANCIS

Came from England to Charles County, Maryland, in 1658, and was living at a place called "Troop's Rendezvous" in 1661.

HENRY

Was at Boston, Massachusetts, May 10, 1660, when he married Mary, daughter of William Petty of Weymouth.

EDWARD

Was living at Winsdor, Connecticut, in 1660, where on May 25, of that year, he married Eliza, daughter of Thomas Buckland. He died August 15, 1683 leaving an only child, Mary, born at Winsdor, August 28, 1671.

THOMAS

Was in Isle of Wight County, Virginia before 1664. Brother of William Adams of Kenton, Devonshire, England.

JOHN

Was at Winsdor, Connecticut, before 1675; at Simsbury in 1677, where he married Abigail, daughter of Humphrey Pumey.

ROGER

Was living at Roxbury, Massachusetts before 1675. His will is dated December 14, 1713.

JOHN

Came to Virginia and was granted lands with George Brent in 1677 on Hunting Creek.

DANIEL

Was living at Simsbury, Connecticut, in 1687, which year he is supposed to have married Mary, daughter of Samuel Pumey. Was probably a brother of John Adams of Winsdor, Connecticut.

ABRAHAM

Was an "Inn-holder" in Boston, and one of the Band of Volunteers who, in October, 1689, took a pirate vessel in the Vineyard Sound and brought her into Boston. He had lived at Falmouth, Massachusetts, where, before 1667, he had married Sarah, daughter of Arthur Mackworth.

JOHN

Came from Worcestershire, England, to Charles County, Maryland, about 1700. He, it is said, was a first cousin of Lord George Lyttleton. His will dated September 16, 1640, mentions his wife, Elizabeth (Nailor) Adams and five sons: Richard, Thomas Randolph Greenfield, John, Luke and George.

MATTHEW

Was living in Chowan County, North Carolina, before 1700. His will dated August 9, 1703, mentions wife, Sarah and son, Matthew and daughter, Eleanor.

JONATHAN

Was a "blockmaker" in Boston. It is learned from his will, dated April 1, 1707, that his wife was Rebecca, a daughter of James Andrews of Falmouth.

ALEXANDER

Was ordained by the Bishop of London in 1703 and came to Maryland in 1704. He was for several years Rector of Stepeny Parish in Somerset County. His will left his estate to his sons, John and William and the children of his deceased son, Rev. Alexander Adams.

EBENEZER

Said to have been a son of one Richard Adams of Abridge, Essex, England, who is described as "Citizen and Merchant Tailor of London." He was living in New Kent County, Virginia, before 1714. He received grants of 3,983 acres of land in New Kent and Henrico Counties. About 1718, he married Tabitha, daughter of Richard Cocke "the younger" of Bremo. He died June 13, 1735.

WILLIAM

Came to America from Argyleshire, Scotland in 1721, and settled at Londonderry (Derry), New Hampshire. He is thought to have married his wife Mary, in America. Their first child was born in 1726.

JAMES

Born in Scotland and came to America in 1721 with his brother William.

JOHN

Was living in Bath County, North Carolina, before 1732. His will dated February 17, 1733-34, names his son, Abraham executor; and mentions seven other children: James, Emanuel, Martha, John, Thomas, Rachell and Mary.

ABRAHAM

In his will made March 13, 1733, and recorded in Barthia County, North Carolina, he mentions sons, Willowby, Abraham, Richard and William.

PETER

In his will, dated December 13, 1745, and recorded in Chowan County, North Carolina, he mentions his wife, Sarah and son, John. Also brother, John Adams of Wrentham, New England, and his children; and sister, Mary Mounie, of Crediton in Devonshire, Kingdom of Great Britain.

JOHN

Was living in Wrentham, Massachusetts in 1745, at which time he was named in his brother, Peter Adams's will, made December 13 of that year.

SAMUEL

One of three brothers, all of them shipbuilders, who came from Scotland about 1750, in a vessel of their own construction. They settled first on Long Island, but later moved to Hunterdon County, New Jersey.

WILLIAM

Brother of Samuel with whom he came to America about 1750. Served in the Revolution with the New Jersey troops and was probably killed in battle.

PAUL

Came from Scotland to Long Island, New York, with his brothers, Samuel and William, about 1750. A sister also was with the three brothers. They all removed to New Jersey; the brothers enlisting in the War of the Revolution in which two of them lost their lives. The survivor was the ancestor of Aaron Adams who was living in New York City as late as 1892.

JOHN

Came from Ireland to Virginia about 1755 and married the daughter of one Andrew Miller.

JAMES

Shipped as a stowaway on a Man-o-War from England, when refused passage on account of his youth; was discovered at sea and forced into the service. For several years he sailed the seas, deserting the ship at Norfolk, Virginia about 1769. He served through the Revolution on the American side, at the close of which, he settled in South Carolina; later removing to Alexander County, North Carolina, where he died about 1800.

JOHN

Was born in Great Britain in 1720, and came to America about the middle of the eighteenth century and settled in Pennsylvania. A few years later he removed to Rockbridge County, Virginia and settled at Timberridge. It is said that his wife, Jane Hutchinson, was closely connected with the nobility of Scotland; and that he was connected with the nobility of England. He was a planter of means and owned many negroes, and entertained with such lavish, such princely hospitality, that his homestead was known as "Eden."

DAVID

Came from England, Ireland or Scotland to North Carolina about 1770; served the American Revolution and died soon after the close of the war, leaving descendants.

WILLIAM

Born at Paisley, Scotland, August 26, 1790; emigrated to America in 1821 or 1822 and settled at St. John, New Brunswick; removing to Pawtucket, Rhode Island, a few years later where he died, leaving descendants.

HENRY

Born in Germany; he emigrated to the United States about 1860 and settled at Cincinnati, Ohio.

The End -- Adams Immigrants

Adams Wills and Marriages

Culpeper County, Virginia

Contributed

***By* Hattie B. Rowland**

MARRIAGES 1794-1866

John **April 17, 1794**
Margaret Calvert

Ann **Dec. 9, 1794**
William Wilkes

Elizabeth **Feb. 16, 1798**
Walker Compton

Jane **Dec. 13, 1798**
Josiah Clark

Elizabeth **Feb. 20, 1799**
Anthony Hughes

Thomas **Feb. 20, 1799**
Ann Hunton

Sarah **April 28, 1799**
John Calvert

Jane **Sept. 29, 1799**
Anthony Moore

Mary **July 13, 1803**
Alex. Stanford

Maria **June 16, 1816**
Nimrod Hambrick

Ephraim **Jan. 20, 1820**
Mary Moore

Elizabeth **Feb. 14, 1822**
Lewis D. Massie

William **March - -, 1829**
Narcissus White

William **April, 15, 1832**
Mary J. White

James **Jan. 2, 1843**
Missouri Kilby

John Q. **Dec. 23, 1843**
Louisa Kilby

Martha. J. **Jan. 22, 1866**
Henry C. Kilby

WILLS 1771-1839

July 20, 1771—
Will of Robert Adams. Leaves all to Peter Russell son of Jeremiah Russell.
Probated Aug. 27, 1771.

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Will of Thomas Adams. Wife Sarah Adams.
Daughters, Mary Rogers, Margaret McKenzie, Nancy Wilkes, Abby Adams, Sarah Calvert and Margery Collins.
Sons, John Adams and Thomas Adams.
Grandson Ralls Calvert.
Probated Oct. 19, 1804.

...., 1813—
Will of Henrietta Adams lost in Book G.

Dec. 6, 1823—
Will of John Adams. Daughters, Elizabeth Massey, and Marah Hambrick.
Son Elijah.
Grandson John W. Massey.
Son in law Lewis Massey and John S. Green, executors.

May 17, 1839—
Will of Charles Adams. Wife Nancy Adams.
Children, Salley Adams, Betsey Newton, Jane Newton, John Adams, Polly Kinard, James Adams, Nancy Hume and Maria Swain.
Grandchildren, children of son Ephraim Adams, deceased, and of daughter Ann Creel.

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* Sent to James Taylor Adams, 1948, By Mrs. T.B. Kitchen of Ashland,Ky.

** Copied and contributed by Henry Welch Adams of Atlanta, Georgia. He has sent a wealth of material we will publish as space permits.

*** Charlotte Feazel, Elyria, Ohio, shares the Lorain County, Ohio, material with us. We have many queries about Ohio Adamses.

The marriages on the following pages were gathered on a very hurried journey through North Carolina, Kentucky and a small section of Tennessee. Some were copied directly from county courthouses, others from the North Carolina State Archives and microfilm at the University of Kentucky, King Library in Lexington.

Some listings were copied from previously copied material of not too accurate reputation. I am sure, in my haste, I made a few errors and do not pretend to be overly critical of the material I copied. Thank, heavens, someone did it!

When a date was not obtained for this index, Book and a page number has been supplied for reference. (Clark Co. Ky. terminated its working day before my chore was completed.)

Early Montgomery County, Kentucky marriages were destroyed. The area D.A.R. made a valiant effort to reconstruct some of the marriages from existing wills, vital statistics and other area records. A copy of this publication is in the County Clerk's office in Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Knox County Tennessee marriages are published in a 1,144 pg. paper-back book by Family Record Society, Roscoe d'Armand, 709 Empire Bldg., Knoxville, Tenn., 1970. Covers 1792-1900, and is a true wonder for area researchers.

May we urge you to visit your local court house, copy, and share the Adamses with your fellow genealogists? Your county may have no interest to your Adams research but could hold the key unlocking the door for someone else. If you can add anything to what has been published herein, "please, do."

If you are aware of errors please notify us. Does any one know if "Sidnievosina" is correct? Could "Ellson" be "Nelson" not spoken distinctly or recorded correctly? Is "Lanie really "Lovie","Louie" or "Lewis" "Levin" or even "Sarie"??? It's bad enough to be picking Adamses out of Adams-haystacks but what misery to have other frustrations such as these!

HAPPY HUNTING! Co-editor, Dorothy Amburgey Griffith

--	Beaty, Patsy	Montgomery Co. Ky.	Taken from Will Bk.	bef. 1823
--	Maupin, Sinthy	"	"	" 1845
--	Stringer, Milly	"	"	bef 1829
--	Stringer, Sally	"	"	bef 1829
A.M.	Hamlin, Lucy W.	"		28 Jun 1883
Abegno	Cannon, Mary E.	Knox Co. Tn.	undated bond	ca 1831
Abner	McNeely, Jane	Rowan Co. N.C.		3 Mar 1834
Abner S.	Combs, Mary I.	Watauga Co. N.C.	son of A. & Elizab. Wit. Talton P.Adams	25 Jun 1874
Abraham	Howard, --	Rowan Co. N.C.	2	25 Aug 1791
Aby	John Adams	Wilkes Co. N.C.		25 Jan 1813
Agnes	Ball, John	Rowan Co. N.C.	Abraham Adams, bd.	5 Jan 1788
Albert	Newberry, Rebecca A.	Lorain Co. Ohio		5 Jan 1835
Albert M.	Hartson, Lucinda	Lorain Co. Ohio		22 Aug 1833
Alexander	Frizzell, Rosanah	Roane Co. Tn.		5 Feb 1848
Alfred	Flannery, Elizabeth	Ashe Co. N.C.		18 Dec 1839
Allen	Mullins, Jennie	Pike Co. Ky.		21 Mar 1861
Allen	Wagers, Eliza	Morgan Co. Ky.		22 Oct 1830
Allen	Green, Peggy	Ashe Co. N.C.		1827
Allen	Adams, Judy	Wilkes Co. N.C.		17 Feb 1836
Allis	Hill, Solomon	Robeson Co. N.C.		25 Feb 1850
Aly	Bannister, Ann	Lawrence Co. Ky.		23 Dec 1826
Amanda W.	Bailey, J.C.	Knox Co. Tn.		18 Nov 1856
Amilley	Graves, John	Rowan Co. N.C.		2 Apr 1806
Andersen K.	Rice, Margaret A.	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:159	1876
Andrew	White, Margaret	Montgomery Co.Ky.	Vital Statistics	bef 1852
Andrew J.	Johnson, Sarah A.	Halifax Co. N.C.		6 Dec 1856
Ann E.	Hensley, John	Knox Co. Tn.		11 Sep 1864
Any	Jenkins, Alex F.	Wilkes Co. N.C.		15 Jan 1856
Arrena	Sisemore, Wm. S.	Wilkes Co. N.C.		23 Aug 1865
Asa	Narramore, Elizabeth	Roane Co. Tn.		18 Nov 1861
Asa	Barfoot, Pheraby	Robeson Co. N.C.		23 Feb 1802
Avery J.	Weeden, Harriett	Lorain Co. Ohio		30 Jun 1846
Bela B.(m)	Hoadley, Urania	Lorain Co. Ohio		23 Feb 1840
Benjamin	Reynolds, Mary Ann	Lorain Co. Ohio		7 Mar 1835
Berryman	Allen, Nelly	Clark Co. Ky.		8 Nov 1825
Beverman	Fryer, Lucinda	Clark Co. Ky.		20 Jul 1813
Bird	Williams, Nancy M.	Clark Co. Ky.	1A:19	bef 1825
Bledsoe	White, Patsey	Clark Co. Ky.		29 May 1825
Byard	Morris, Mary	Wilkes Co. N.C.		13 Apr 1849
C.J.	Clendennen, M.L.	Knox Co. Tn.		5 Apr 1870

C. O. (f)	Wilson, J. F.	Davidson Co. N.C.		31 Jan 1866
Calvin	Smith, Eunice	Lorain Co. Ohio		7 Oct 1828
Calvin	Jones, Polly	Wilkes Co. N.C.		4 Dec 1839
Caroline	McQueen, Alexander J.	Robeson Co. N.C.		23 Feb 1841
Catherine	Brinkley, Morris	Woodford Co. Ky.		11 Sep 1817
Catherine	Sizemore, Wm.	Rowan Co. N.C.	Elisha Adams bd.	3 Jan 1780
Chapman	Higgins, Sally	Wilkes Co. N.C.		26 Dec 1812
Charles	Hopper, Elizabeth	Wilkes Co. N.C.		7 Sep 1779
Charles	Wilds, Elizabeth	Wilkes Co. N.C.		8 Dec 1835
Charles	Johnson, Rachel	Wilkes Co. N.C.		19 Sep 1857
Charles	Hall, Marthy	Wilkes Co. N.C.		23 Mar 1868
Constantine	Stowers, Frances	Pike Co. Ky.		23 Sep 1833
Constantine	Scott, Alaur	Lawrence Co. Ky.		8 Dec 1850
Curtis ?	? ?	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:67	n.d.
Cyntha E.R.	Burnett, James R.	Knox Co. Tn.		1 Aug 1865
Cyntha	Jett, J. M.	Knox Co. Tn.		17 Jul 1861
Daniel	Irvin, Sarah	Rowan Co. N.C.	Walter Adams, Bd.	7 Nov 1780
David A.	Wasis, Mary A.	Montgomery Co. Ky.		17 Apr 1866
David C.	Kimbrell, Amanda	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:129	11 Apr 1874
Diana	Hicks, Joshua	Rowan Co. N. C.	Benj. Hicks, Bd.	19 Sep 1794
Diana	Johnson, William	Rowan Co. N. C.		31 Mar 1788
Dianah	Moore, Morris	Roane Co. Tn.		6 Nov 1806
Dianer	Etcherson, John	Rowan Co. N.C.	Elijah Adams, Bd.	6 Feb 1816
Dudley	Hopper, Julia Ann	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:157	1876
Easter	West, Miles	Rowan Co. N.C.		17 Jan 1815
E.B.	Eakle, Vernetta	Clay Co. Tn.		30 Dec 1895
Edward	Rains, Venny	Clay Co. Tn.		14 Apr 1874
Edy	Coats, James	Rowan Co. N.C.	Jno. Coats, Bd.	6 Dec 1818
Elenora	Ivey, George W.	Halifax Co. N.C.		18 Nov 1823
Electa	Fauver, George	Lorain Co. Ohio		17 Feb 1845
Elender	Watts, William	Lawrence Co. Ky.		10 Jan 1827
Elias	---	Lawrence Co. Ky.		22 Sep 1834
Elim L.	McNelly, Jane C.	Rowan Co. N.C.	John N. Adams, Bd.	20 Aug 1825
Elisha	Horn, Eliza	Robeson Co. N.C.		26 Mar 1838
Elizabeth(Betsy)	Kitchen, James	Lawrence Co. Ky.		22 Mar 1831
Elizabeth	Burnes, James	Halifax Co. N.C.		23 Aug 1827
Elizabeth	Blankenship, Henry	Pike Co. Ky.		14 Jul 1839
Elizabeth	McClenahan, Mose	Bath Co. Ky.		24 Sep 1876
Elizabeth	Houck, Benjamin	Ashe Co. N.C.		22 Apr 1852
Elizabeth	Swift, Elias	Ashe Co. N.C.		1833
Elizabeth	Corbin, James	Clark Co. Ky.		25 May 1814
Elizabeth	Browning, Nathan	Clark Co. Ky.		16 Oct 1814
Elizabeth	Means, James J.	Montgomery Co. Ky.	Vital Statistics	bef 1859

Elizabeth	James, Tobias	Montgomery Co. Ky.		28 Nov 1822
Elizabeth	Ricketts, J.T.	Montgomery Co. Ky.	Vital Statistics	bef 1852
Elizabeth	Rose, Thomas	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Wm. Rose, Bd.	31 Dec 1857
Elizabeth	Johnson, Thomas S.	Wilkes Co. N.C.		15 Sep 1860
Elizabeth	Hardin, Isaac	Rowan Co. N.C.		10 Jun 1824
Elizabeth	Hendricks, Jesse	Rowan Co. N.C.		15 Sep 1812
Elizabeth	Simson, Ross	Rowan Co. N.C.		3 Dec 1787
Ellson	Richardson, Vicey	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Moses Adams, wit.	1 Dec 1834
Elmer	Van Wormer, Lucretia	Lorain Co. Ohio		24 Nov 1833
Emily	Graham, Edwin	Halifax Co. N.C.		26 Oct 1825
Ephraim	Brian, Eleanor	Rowan Co. N.C.	Daniel Adams, Bd.	25 Sep 1789
Esquire	Green, Polly	Ashe Co. N.C.		1818
Esther	Ford, Smith	Ashe Co. N.C.		11 Apr 1839
Evaline	Adams, Joel	Lorain Co. Ohio		10 Aug 1833
Fielding	Roberson, Sarah	Clark Co. Ky.		30 Aug 1849
Flava (f)	Burrell, Isaac	Lorain Co. Ohio		27 Sep 1825
Fothergal	Yong, Miranda	Bath Co. Ky.		15 May 1856
Frances	Bowmar, Herman	Woodford Co. Ky.		3 Sep 1795
Francis	Renn, Zachariah	Halifax Co. N.C.		21 Dec 1858
Francis	Green, Parmelia	Roane Co. Tn.		5 Dec 1832
Franklin	Tinsley, Nancy	Wilkes Co. N.C.		8 Jan 1867
G. W.	Wilcoxson, Martha	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Harrison Adams, Bd.	30 Aug 1863
G. W.	Adams, Sarah	Wilkes Co. N.C.	son of Henry & Mary	11 Jul 1868
George M.	Gorden, Sarah L.	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:191	n.d.
George W.	Sears, Hanah	Halifax Co. N.C.		11 Dec 1857
Gibson	Hampton, Susanna	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Isaiah Hampton, Bd.	17 Aug 1815
Gideon W.	Slocum, Birtia H.	Lorain Co. Ohio		26 Oct 1836
H. F.	Griffith, Elizabeth	Lawrence Co. Ky.		22 May 1856
Hannah	Lawrence, Andrew	Rowan Co. N.C.	Jno. Adams, Bd.	4 Aug 1775
Harper	Gentle, Martha	Wilkes Co. N.C.		31 Mar 1861
Harris	Corbin, Susannah	Clark Co. Ky.		6 Oct 1812
Harrison	Adams, Susan	Wilkes Co. N.C.		15 Dec 1853
Hawkins	Raine, Elizabeth	Woodford Co. Ky.		8 Jul 1812
Henderson	Dobson, Elizabeth	Davidson Co. N.C.		13 Aug 1842
Henry	Pinson, Anna	Pike Co. Ky.	dau. of Henry Pinson	27 Jan 1858
Henry	Turner, Hannah	Bath Co. Ky.		29 Aug 1869
Henry	Baleman, Betsy	Rowan Co. Ky.		8 Feb 1813
Henry	Miers, Nancy	Wilkes Co. N.C.		12 Aug 1841
Henry	Brown, Nancy C.	Wilkes Co. N.C.		18 Dec 1866
Henry A.	Wyatt, Nancy	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Geo. Wyatt, Bd.	13 Nov 1835
Hyena	Welch, Jno.	Rowan Co. N.C.		24 Dec 1802
Isaac	Horne, Ellen	Lawrence Co. Ky.		1865
Isaac	Justice, Elizabeth	Pike Co. Ky.	dau. Andrew Justice	31 Dec 1836

Isaac	McGuire, Catherine	Morgan Co. Ky.		10 Aug 1833
Isaac	Walser, Susanna	Wilkes Co. N.C.		30 Jul 1813
Isaac	Roberds, Sintha	Wilkes Co. N.C.	John Roberds, Bd.	18 Oct 1817
Isaac	Phillips, Hanna	Rowan Co. N.C.	Edmond Adams, Bd.	25 Jun 1791
Isaac	Winford, Margaret	Rowan Co. N.C.	Daniel Adams, Bd.	22 May 1792
Isaac N.	Emmons, Marilla	Lorain Co. Ohio		2 Dec 1828
Isabella	Temple, Benjamin	Knox Co. Tn.		26 Oct 1858
Isabella	Ricketts, J.T.	Montgomery Co. Ky.	Vital Statistics	bef 1857
Isabel	Casey, Samuel	Rowan Co. N.C.		28 Sep 1787
J. A. (f)	W. F. Gaddis	Clay Co. Tn.		26 Jul 1883
J. E.	Hall, E. W.	Rowan Co. N.C.	J.R.B. Adams, Bd.	19 Mar 1849
J. H.	Ragh, Mary C.	Roane Co. Tn.		20 Sep 1865
J. K.	Gaylord, Statisa Almeda	Montgomery Co. Ky.		9 Apr 1866
Jackson	Burchett, Sarah	Wilkes Co. N.C.		25 Dec 1860
Jacob	Touson, Mary	Rowan Co. N.C.	Spencer Adams, Bd.	7 Jan 1777
James	Large, Kitty	Lawrence Co. Ky.		1846
James	Muir, Manerva (essa)	Clark Co. Ky.		12 Feb 1852
James	Bradley, Nancy	Clark Co. Ky.		11 Jan 1849
James	Brooks, Polly	Clark Co. Ky.		6 Mar 1817
James	Yocum, Sarah M.	Montgomery Co. Ky.		27 Aug 1874
James	Haggard, Elizabeth	Montgomery Co. Ky.	Vital Statistics	4 Mar 1857
James	Gray, Elizabeth	Bath Co. Ky.		1 Sep 1814
James	Elkins, Sarah	Roane Co. Tn.		19 Aug 1852
James	Gunter, Mary	Wilkes Co. N.C.		8 Aug 1816
James A.	Worley, Nancy C.	Clay Co. Tn.		24 Dec 1880
James F.	Woodruff, Prudence E.	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Wm. F. Adams, Bd.	9 Oct 1851
James S.	Hall, Perlina Ann	Montgomery Co. Ky.	Vital Statistics	bef 1853
James T. (or L)	Fowler, Martha J.	Clark Co. Ky.	1W:244 and 3W:176	n.d.
James W.	Strode, Ann	Monroe Co. Ky.		22 Aug 1888
Jane	Boon, Thomas	Halifax Co. N.C.		1 Aug 1849
Jane	Dulworth, A.	Clay Co. Tn.		1 Feb 1883
Jane	Howell, George	Ashe Co. N.C.		16 Sep 1865
Jane	Squire, Jonas	Lorain Co. Ohio		11 Aug 1840
Jane	Emerson, William	Rowan Co. N.C.		2 Sep 1847
Jesse	Jones, Eliza	Knox Co. Tn.		23 Aug 1845
Jesse	McClain, Nancy	Morgan Co. Ky.		25 Feb 1828
Jesse	Noland, Mary	Rowan Co. N.C.		6 Aug 1804
Jesse	Lovelace, Nancy	Wilkes Co. N.C.		21 Oct 1795
Jesse	Byrd, Peggy	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Jno. Adams, Bd.	10 Mar 1807
Jesse	Tandley, Lucy	Wilkes Co. N.C.		22 Sep 1834
Jesse J.	Adams, Sarah	Wilkes Co. N.C.		17 Mar 1858
Jesse P.	Sparkes, Jincey	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Rubin Sparkes, Bd.	29 Oct 1846
Jincey	Berry, James	Lawrence Co. Ky.		27 Sep 1835

Joel	Adams, Evaline	Lorain Co. Ohio		10 Aug 1833
John	Monday, Mary E.	Knox Co. Tn.		22 D3c 1869
John	Wilson, Polly	Knox Co. Tn.		3 Jan 1826
John	Large, Kitty	Lawrence Co. Ky.		21 Oct 1838
John	Bentley, Pricilla	Pike Co. Ky.	Dau. Thos. Bentley	23 Jul 1849
John	Crow, Searcy	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:159	1876
John	Painter, Polly	Bath Co. Ky.		1 Jun 1815
John	Bailey, Elizabeth	Bath Co. Ky.	Wit. John Bailey	19 Apr 1860
John	Lykins, Nancy	Morgan Co. Ky.	Son of Isaac Adams	5 Nov 1827
John	Miller, Polly	Roane Co. Tn.		14 Mar 1825
John	Bledsoe, Eliza	Woodford Co. Ky.		31 Nov 1798
John	Hamilton, Betsy	Clark Co. Ky.	1A:17	before 1825
John	Wills, Polly	Montgomery Co. Ky.		" 1825
John	Bussell, Winne	Rowan Co. N.C.	Dau.Farssed & Elizab.	15 Aug 1768
John	Johnson, Roda	Wilkes Co. N.C.		22 Sep 1806
John	Adams, Aby	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Henry Adams, Bd.	25 Jan 1813
John	Adams, Polly	Wilkes Co. N.C.		13 Nov 1838
John	Nance, Emeline	Wilkes Co. N.C.		29 Apr 1850
John	Hawkins, Esther	Rowan Co. N.C.		3 Oct 1795
John	Reed, Betsy	Rowan Co. N.C.	Wm. Adams, Bd.	30 Jan 1797
John A.	Ellet, Sallie	Halifax Co. N.C.		3 Aug 1865
John A.	-- , Polly	Montgomery Co. Ky.	Vital Statistics	before 1836
John G.	Rucker, Mildred A.	Clark Co. Ky.		21 Jun 1849
John H.	McDaniel, Elizabeth	Wilkes Co. N.C.		14 Oct 1835
John M.	Richison, Matilda	Wilkes Co. N.C.		2 Nov 1841
John N.	Andrews, Martha A.	Rowan Co. N.C.	Jno. Andrews, Bd.	6 May 1829
John Q.	Fryar, Nancy Jane	Knox Co. Tn.		20 Oct 1841
John R.	Fairchild, Harriett	Lorain Co. Ohio		1 Jan 1835
John Q.	Sharp, Harriet A.	Montgomery Co. Ky.	Vital Statistics	before 1853
John Q.	Frizzell, Rhoda	Roane Co. Tn.		30 Sep 1847
John Q.	Derossett, Jane	Roane Co. Tn.		25 Jul 1848
John R.	Fairchild, Harriett	Lorain Co. Ohio		1 Jan 1835
John T.	Wright, Clarinda	Bath Co. Ky.	Wit. Thos. Wright	26 Dec 1870
John T.	Potter, Mrs. Sarah A.	Montgomery Co. Ky.		15 Sap 1873
John W.	Jones, Amanda	Clark Co. Ky.		17 Dec 1852
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Joseph (H)	McGrady, Catharine	Wilkes Co. N.C.		30 Mar 1854
Joshua	Pane, Nancy	Halifax Co. N.C.		30 Jun 1835
Josiana	Brush, Wm.	Montgomery Co. Ky.	Vital Statistics	before 1855
Judy	Adams, Allen	Wilkes Co. N.C.		17 Feb 1836
Kenchen	Littleton, Louise	Roane Co. Tn.		24 Sep 1853

King David	Burchett, Louisa	Wilkes Co. N.C.		15 Apr 1866
King M.	Handy, Rachal	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Wm. Adams, Bd.	25 Aug 1841
Lanie (Lovie?) (Louis, etc.)	Crawford, C.C.	Clay Co. Tn.		10 Mar 1889
Leah, 24	Dougherty, Isaac, 29	Watauga Co. N.C.	Dau. of Alfred & Elizab.	30 Apr 1874
Lewis	Leek, Catherine	Pike Co. Ky.	dau. Milton Leek	21 Oct 1856
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Lewis	Oliver, Sally	Clark Co. Ky.		15 Mar 1847
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Louise	Cheney, Mark	Pike Co. Ky.	Dau.Bartholomew Adams	3 Oct 1837
Lowry	Wilcoxen, Jane	Clark Co. Ky.		25 Jul 1826
Lucinda	Fults(Futts),Henry	Clark Co. Ky.		20 Dec 1815
Luzany	Brown, Jonathan	Wilkes Co. N.C.	P.C. Brown, Bd.	11 Apr 1861
Maggie	Lauderback, Joseph	Knox Co. Tn.		19 Nov 1876
Mahala	Stephens, Solomon	Morgan Co. Ky.		10 Jun 1832
Mahala	Minix, John	Morgan Co. Ky.		4 Nov 1834
Mandy J.	Hutcherson, James	Monroe Co. Ky.		23 Apr 1891
Margaret	Robinson, George	Pike Co. Ky.	Dau. of Mary Adams	Mar 1857
Margaret	Risner, James	Morgan Co. Ky.		29 Jun 1828
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Martha	Adkins, Anderson	Pike Co. Ky.	Dau. Wm. Adams	25 May 1859
Martha J.	Ford, Alexander	Monroe Co. Ky.		21 Sep 1887
Martin	Deerfield, Fannie	Lawrence Co. Ky.		4 Feb 1850
Mary	Mullins, John W.	Lawrence Co. Ky.		27 Feb 1854
Mary	Griffith, Robert	Lawrence Co. Ky.		19 Mar 1853
Mary	Hardman, Wm.	Clark Co. Ky.		24 Jan 1811
Mary	Ervin, Wm.	Rowan Co. N.C.	Jno. Adams, Bd.	13 Oct 1788
Mary	Grosaf (Gross) Abraham	Rowan Co. N.C.	Jno. Adam, Bd.	23 Nov 1779
Mary	Willard, Milton F.	Wilkes Co. N.C.		19 Jan 1852
Mary	Shearin, Isaac	Halifax Co. N.C.		26 Jan 1830
Mary A.	Bonny, John	Clark Co. Ky.		30 Jan 1817
Mary Ann	Hall, Riley	Pike Co. Ky.		31 Dec 1853
Mary Ann	Van Wormer, Jeremiah	Lorain Co. Ohio		31 Dec 1835
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Matilda	Lusk, David	Clark Co. Ky.		1 Jan 1812

Matty (Molly)	Scarborough, Elijah	Knox Co. Tn.		27 Dec 1817
Maxwell, 22	Simms, Elizabeth, 23	Watauga Co. N.C.		5 Jul 1877
Milly	Shugart, Eli	Wilkes Co. N.C.		9 Oct 1865
Milton M.	Emmons, Eunice	Lorain Co. Ohio		Jan 1826
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Mintha (f)	Maxey, Rev. Asa	Bath Co. Ky.		30 Jul 1871
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Nancy	Butler, Thomas A.	Knox Co. Tn.		31 Dec 1858
Nancy	Burk, Charles	Pike Co. Ky.	dau. Wm. Adams	12 Apr 1855
Nancy	Crum, David	Lawrence Co. Ky.		14 Jul 1830
Nancy	Ramey, John	Clark Co. Ky.		28 Mar 1818
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Nancy	Simmons, John	Rowan Co. N.C.		5 Sep 1809
Nancy Caroline	Doane, T.W.	Knox Co. Tn.		9 Aug 1859
Nancy A.E.	Burnett, Elisha D.G.	Knox Co. Tn.		21 Jan 1858
Nathan	Wilson, Procitta	Lawrence Co. Ky.		25 Jul 1823
Nathan B.	Adams, Sarah M.	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:95	n.d.
Nathaniel	Dooley, Patsy T.	Clark Co. Ky.	1A:152	before 1825
Nathaniel	Holaday, Nancy	Clark Co. Ky.	1A:16	before 1825
Nicholas	Roberts, Caroline	Knox Co. Tn.		7 Nov 1865
Nelson	Matthis, Patsey	Roane Co. Tn.		2 Jun 1834
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Patsy	Chafin, David C.	Lawrence Co. Ky.		24 Apr 1854
Patsy L.	Haggard, David	Clark Co. Ky.		7 Apr 1825
Payton	Edwards, Polly	Clark Co. Ky.		7 Nov 1826
Payton F.	?	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:19 I did not complete)	
Peggy	Walton, Richard	Rowan Co. N.C.	Peter Adams, Bd.	23 Feb 1813
Perry	Berry, Rebecca	Lawrence Co. Ky.		17 Jul 1855
Peter	Smith, Ann	Rowan Co. N.C.		29 Dec 1794
Peter	Walton, Sally	Rowan Co. N.C.		17 Oct 1816
Phebe	Chambers, Patterson	Rowan Co. N.C.		19 Mar 1835
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Polly	Bybee, John	Clark Co. Ky.		10 Jun 1817
Polly	Hamilton. Leroy	Clark Co. Ky.		7 Apr 1825
Polly	Adams, John	Wilkes Co. N.C.		13 Nov 1838
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Polly M.	Millis, James	Ashe Co. N.C.		1847

R. C.	Scott, Nancy E.	Clay Co. Tn.		1 Apr 1879
Raphael	Moore, Mary	Knox Co. Tn.		17 Oct 1871
Rebecca	Gaines, James	Woodford Co. Ky.		27 Mar 1814
REbecca	Pilcher, Daniel	Wilkes Co. N.C.		4 Mar 1858
Reuben	Gravelle, Frances	Clark Co. Ky.		25 Feb 1844
Rheuby	Bronson, Albert	Lorain Co. Ohio		9 Apr 1827
Richard	Rains, Tiny	Clay Co. Tn.		31 Aug 1876
Richard	Richards, Peggy	Bath Co. Ky.		13 Jun 1820
Richard J.	Hicks, Elizabeth	Bath Co. Ky.		21 Dec 1854
Rilda S.	Crowe, John N.	Monroe Co. Ky.		13 Nov 1888
Robert	?	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:29	n.d.
Robert	?	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:69	n.d.
Robert	Yonts, Emily	Davidson Co. N.C.	Wit. H. Adams	26 Jun 1852
Robert	Thomson, Nancy	Woodford Co. Ky.		7 Apr 1817
Robert	Pigg, Rosanna	Clark Co. Ky.		30 Mar 1814
Robert	Morton, Sarah	Clark Co. Ky.		10 May 1817
Robert	Fleming, Elizabeth	Rowan Co. N.C.		19 Feb 1773
Robert H.	Montgomery, Charlotte	Knox Co. Tn.		19 Jan 1813
Robert L., 22	Hicks, Jemima, 18	Watauga Co. N.C.		9 May 1892
Robert W.	Harrison, Rachel S.	Roane Co. Tn.		26 Dec 1860
Ruben	Hamilton, Sally	Clark Co. Ky.		8 Apr 1825
S. Benton	Boyd, Mary D.	Halifax Co. N.C.		18 Feb 1865
S. O.	Boon, Sarah	Halifax Co. N.C.		31 Sep 1865
Sally	Powell, Oliver	Roane Co. Tn.		6 Mar 1832
Sally	Syler, Peter H.	Roane Co. Tn.		26 Sep 1826
Samuel W.	Adams, Susan W.	Bath Co. Ky.		4 Oct 1827
Sarah	Turner, Lemuel	Halifax Co. N.C.		12 Mar 1827
Sarah	Sells, Wm. H.	Ashe Co. N.C.		1846
Sarah	Dart, Willard	Lorain Co. Ohio		1 Apr 1845
Sarah	Adams, G.W.	Wilkes Co. N.C.	son of Henry & Mary	11 Jul 1868
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Sarah Ann	Moon, Herman	Lorain Co. Ohio		22 Nov 1826
Sarah Ann	Stranahan, Warner W.	Lorain Co. Ohio		27 Oct 1835
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Sarah M.	Alexander, John W.	Bath Co. Ky.		10 Aug 1871
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Sidney	Witt, Nancy	Clark Co. Ky.		22 Jun 1826
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Silvester	Stinson, Hannah	Rowan Co. N.C.	Ephram Adams, Bd.	8 Jul 1790
Silvester	Maxwell, Sally	Rowan Co. N.C.	Jno. Adams, Bd.	26 Oct 1826

Solomon	Church, Francis	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Welborn Adams, Bd.	8 Sep 1841
Spencer	Smith, Elizabeth	Wilkes Co. N.C.		25 Sep 1799
Spencer	Johnson, Tasy	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Abner Caudill, Bd.	11 Mar 1818
Spenser	Adams, Peggy	Wilkes Co. N.C.		29 Jul 1813
Susan	Adams, Harrison	Wilkes Co. N.C.		15 Dec 1853
Susan W.	Adams, Samuel W.	Bath Co. Ky.		4 Oct 1827
Susana	Powell, James	Rowan Co. N.C.		17 Oct 1797
Susanna	Nickell, Silas	Morgan Co. Ky.		21 Jun 1831
Susannah	Estip, Samuel	Rowan Co. N.C.		3 Nov 1789
Susannah	Walton, Peter	Rowan Co. N.C.		13 Jan 1819
Susie	Nail, Philip	Rowan Co. N.C.		18 Jan 1806
T. F.	Hodges, M. A.	Knox Co. Tn.		27 Dec 1865
T. P. , 64	Tugman, Mollie , 33	Watauga Co. N.C.		15 Dec 1910
T. P. , 30	Adams, Rebecca	Watauga Co. N.C.	Wit: John, A.S. & Z. Adams	21 Jun 1877
Talton	Ward, Selah	Ashe Co. N.C.		1824
Telman, 18	Trivett, Nancy L.	Watauga Co. N.C.		Oct 1877
Tilmon, 41	Bradley, Vertie, 35	Watauga Co. N.C.		25 Oct 1900
Thomas	Powell, Nancy	Halifax Co. N.C.		6 Apr 1824
Thomas	Baker(Baber) Mrs.Rachel	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:130	22 Oct 1874
Thomas	Tippett, Docia	Woodford Co. Ky.		19 Oct 1807
Thomas	Johnson, Eunice	Wilkes Co. N.C.		16 May 1829
Thomas	Lynn, Mary	Rowan Co. N.C.		22 Feb 1787
Thomas	Michel, Polly	Rowan Co. N.C.		19 Apr 1803
Thomas L.	Crutchfield, Lucy Ann	Clark Co. Ky.		26 Feb 1846
Unise	Daniels, Thomas	Lawrence Co. Ky.		30 Apr 1828
W. F. M.	Cornwell, Mary Jane	Montgomery Co. Ky.	Vital Statistics	Oct 1861
Wellbern	Adams, Abba	Wilkes Co. N.C.		10 Dec 1850
Wellborn	Church, Susanah	Wilkes Co. N.C.	James Welborn, Bd.	25 Aug 1837
Wiley	Huffman, Rosanah	Wilkes Co. N.C.		22 Mar 1836
William	Frazier, Nancy	Knox Co. Tn.		28 Feb 1797
William	Hall, Louisa	Pike Co. Ky.	Dau. Sam Hall Sr.	7 Jan 1857
Williams	Carter, Elizabeth	Lawrence Co. Ky.		4 Dec 1845
William	Berry, Nancy	Lawrence Co. Ky.		20 Oct 1855
William	Padgett, Louisa A.	Bath Co. Ky.		16 Aug 1854
William	Williams, Elizabeth	Morgan Co. Ky.	Son of Jno. Adams	6 May 1826
William	Blackwell, Darcus	Rhea Co. Tn.		16 Aug 1831
William	Hagins, Nancy	Clark Co. Ky.	1A:20-	before 1825
William	Bledsoe, Sally	Clark Co. Ky.		17 Feb 1813
William	Crowe, Mary E.	Monroe Co. Ky.		12 May 1886
William	Baker, Mary	Rowan Co. N.C.	Charley Baker, Bd.	6 Dec 1775
William	Edmond, Elizabeth	Rowan Co. N.C.		25 Jan 1766
William	Hall, Elizabeth	Rowan Co. N.C.		2 Sep 1819
William	Hall, Omea	Wilkes Co. N.C.	John Hall Sr., Bd.	16 Apr 1781

William	no bride given	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Jno. Hickerson, Bd.	27 Oct 1807
William F.	Walker, Elizabeth	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Wm. Walker, Bd.	10 Mar 1834
William H.	Strong, Octa B.	Lorain Co. Ohio		9 Mar 1841
William H. Jr.	Brooks, Permelia	Wilkes Co. N.C.		29 May 1852
William L.	?	Clark Co. Ky.	3W:45 (I did not finish)	
William L.	Cravette, Tabitha E.	Clark Co. Ky.		26 Mar 1860
William N.	Sheldon, Betsy	Lorain Co. Ohio		1 Jan 1848
William S.	Porter, David Ella	Bath Co. Ky.		24 Nov 1853
WILLIAM Vicry	Jinnings, Charity	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Jno. D. Jinnings, Bd.	28 Dec 1854
William W.	Brown, Leanah	Wilkes Co. N.C.	Calvin Adams, Bd.	17 Dec 1851
Winney	Smith, Cornelius	Rowan Co. N.C.		13 Oct 1789

LETTERS:

We have received many complimentary, interesting and encouraging letters from subscribers and are very grateful. The following letter, written with tongue-in-cheek, no doubt, sums up the way most Adams researchers feel:

Dear Adams Addenda,

For any future ADAMSES who decide to find out who they are and where they come from let me just say, "Doing this genealogical-genie thing is a load hard to tote". You look in every nook and cranny and file away every bit and sprig of info and then wind up being just about who your worst enemy said you was to start with.

Take me, for instance. My last name is Adams. Now that is a good old common name that everyone is familiar with. Everyone likes the name Adams....but for a hot biscuit I'd change my last name to Slackenlacker, or some such. If you had a name like Slackenlacker and you came across that name in a history book, you could almost certainly count on that bird being an ancestor of yours. But with a name like Adams it's different. I come across the name Adams just everywhere but are they my ancestors...NO SIR!

Every time I go to the library and ask the friendly librarian to help me locate a certain old Adams in North Carolina, I wind up with a book on President John Adams of Massachusetts, or John Quincy Adams. Or maybe a book by James Truslow Adams, Franklin P. Adams or Joey Adams. The world thinks these are the only Adamses there are. But I'll tell you right now, there's just got to be more Adamses out there....because, here I am.

For me, the Adams Addenda is the best source of Adams information I've found yet. Keep up the good work. JAMES WILLMORE ADAMS, Dayton, Ohio. (James is seeking info on Benjamin Adams, North Carolina, 1760-80 [lucky him, it's not a John or a William]).

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STARKE	0
STEUBEN	0
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TIPTON	0
UNION	0
VANDERBURGH	0
VERMILLION	0
VIGO	
Noah	66
Noah	80
Samuel	85
David	85
William	86
Susan	86
WABASH	0
WARREN	
Samuel	180
Ephraim	186
WARRICK	
Joseph	255
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Edwin	274
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Frances	281
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SPECIAL NOTICE!!!!
Please send "any" information you may have on "any"
MARTIN ADAMS

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MARTIN ADAMS

Bible Records

FAMILY BIBLE of JNO. B. and NANCY HINSON ADAMS. Owned by Donald Jackson, Moscow, Miss. Copy submitted and certified by Dr. Charley Scott, University, Alabama.

JNO. B. ADAMS and NANCY HINSON was marr. 5th Oct. 1837 by John GRADY, Esqr. in Anson County, N.C.

JOHN BRILEY ADAMS born 13 May 1818
NANCY ADAMS, born 30 November 1821
SUSAN E. ADAMS, born 30 August 1839
MARY D. ADAMS, born 2 May 1841
SARAH J. E. ADAMS, born 29 September 1843
WILLIAM W. ADAMS, born 25 April 1847

ROBERT T. DRAKE and S. E. ADAMS was wed 25 Nov. 1856 in Kemper Co. Miss., by Rev. JOHN ELLIS

JAMES D. MCDONALD and MARY D. ADAMS was marr. 16th Jan. 1861, in Kemper County Miss. by WM. A. DAVIS, Esqr.

JOHN T. DRAKE, grandson of J. B. & NANCY ADAMS, born 11 Sept. 1857
SILAS BROOKS DRAKE, grandson of J. B. and NANCY ADAMS, born Oct. 1858
HOMER MCDONALD, grandson of J. B. & NANCY ADAMS, born 28 Oct. 1889
ANNIE MCDONALD, granddaughter of J.B. and NANCY ADAMS, born 25 Dec. 1885

JOHN THOMAS ADAMS, born 1 July 1866. (Son of W.W. & ____ ADAMS, & grandson of J. B. ADAMS [in another handwriting])

SUSAN ELIZABETH HATCHER,	b.	15 June 1868
ALICE VIRGINIA ADAMS	b.	13 Apr. 1889
WILLIAM ANDREW ADAMS	b.	25 Dec. 1890
HOMER MCDONALD	B.	28 Oct. 1889
JOHN BRILEY ADAMS	b.	5 Nov. 1894
WILLIAM ETHEL ADAMS	b.	24 Dec. 1914

DEATHS

SARAH J. E. MCDONALD	died	30 May 1895
D. C. MCDONALD	died	26 Oct. 1897
JOHN THOMAS ADAMS	died	25 Feb. 1928

TO BE OR NOT TO BE?

RELATED TO "THE ADAMS" FAMILY
Ruth Robinson Seibel, Co-editor

It appears that many Adams families have a tradition of "some connection" with the famous New England family that produced John Adams, second President of the United States, The only President whose son attained the same high honor. The son, John Quincy Adams, was our sixth leader.

Remember, however, there are many incidences of a son being named for a famous man, with no relationship sought or established. In fact, John Quincy Adams, himself, had a son, George Washington Adams. So the presence of a John Quincy, or J. Q., in an Adams Family Tree does not necessarily indicate blood relationship but is interesting to pursue.

Referred to as "The Adams Papers" is a series of volumes being published by the Belknap Press of Harvard University Press, Cambridge, Mass., L. H. Butterfield, Editor-in-Chief. This project is sponsored by the Massachusetts Historical Society to which the Adams Manuscript Trust, by deed of gift, 4 April 1956, gave ultimate custody of the personal and public papers written, accumulated and preserved over a span of three centuries by the Adams family of Massachusetts. Characterized as a 'mere epitome' there is a five generation description of Adams' relationships after John Adams, 1691-1761, who married Susanna Boylston, 1709-1797, in 1735. It is found on page lii, Volume I of "Diary of Charles Francis Adams". This source has:

SERIES	I	DIARIES. Four volumes, 1961
SERIES	II	ADAMS FAMILY CORRESPONDENCE. Four volumes.
SERIES	III	GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE & OTHER PAPERS OF ADAMS STATESMEN. Contains legal papers of John Adams. Three volumes.
SERIES	IV	ADAMS FAMILY PORTRAITS Vol. 1, Portraits of John and Abigail Adams Vol. 2, Portraits of John Quincy Adams and his wife.

In 1961 when "Diary and Auto biography of John Adams (1735-1826)" was published it was estimated there might be one hundred volumes "mined out of the varied writings of the Adams family". Although, 1889, the year of the death of Abigail Brooks Adams, wife of Charles Francis Adams who was Minister to the Court of St. James during the Civil War and last of old John's grandsons, has been set as the cut-off date. (Time)

Funds for editing the Adams papers were originally furnished by Time, Inc., on behalf of LIFE to the Massachusetts Historical Society under whose supervision the editorial work is being done.

There are many sources to assist those interested in Adams genealogy and most of these suggested can help all. (Adams family histories and references in books or periodicals that only the arduous cataloging of librarians can bring to light will be cited in the next issue of Adams Addenda.)

The list of some sources available in many places are coded to indicate where found in St. Louis:
SLPL.....St. Louis Public Library, 1301 Olive Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63103
MHS.....Missouri Historical Society, Jefferson Memorial Building, St. Louis, Missouri
NL.....Not located in St. Louis area.

Here are a few major Adams genealogies, arranged alphabetically by author. Any additions to the list given below will be appreciated.

Adams, A., 1955, JEREMY ADAMS OF CAMBRIDGE, MASS., AND HARTFORD. CONN., AND HIS DESCENDANTS (SLPL)

Adams, A.N., 1898, A GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF HENRY ADAMS OF BRAINTREE, MASS., AND HIS DESCENDANTS JOHN ADAMS of CAMBRIDGE, MASS.,. (MH) (MHS)

Adams, A.N., 1900, A GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF ROBERT ADAMS OF NEWBURY, MASS., AND HIS DESCENDANTS, 1635-1900. (MHS & SLPL)

Adams, F.D., ANCESTORS AND DESCENDANTS OF ELIAS ADAMS, THE PIONEER, 600-1930.

Adams, G., GENEALOGY OF THE ADAMS FAMILY OF KINGSTON, MASS., 1861, (on microcard, SLPL)

Adams, H.B., 1880, HISTORY OF THE THOMAS ADAMS AND THOMAS HASTINGS FAMILIES OF AMHERST, MASS. SLPL

Adams, James Truslow, 1930, THE ADAMS FAMILY (MHS & SLPL)

Adams, P.W.L., 1914, HISTORY OF THE ADAMS FAMILY OF NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE (SLPL)

Adams, Smith, 1895, GENEALOGY AND HISTORY OF PART OF THE NEWBURY ADAMS FAMILY (SLPL)

Adams, T.T., 1928, BIOGRAPHICAL GENEALOGY OF THE VIRGINIA ADAMS FAMILIES (SLPL)

Appleton, William S., 1881, SOME DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM ADAMS OF IPSWICH, MASS. d. 1661 (MHS)

Bartel, J.G., 1927, HENRY ADAMS OF SOMERSETSHIRE, ENGLAND AND BRAINTREE, MASS. (SLPL)

Brockman, Charles H., 1950, ADAMS-CAROTHERS-CLANCY-NEELY and TOWNSEND DESCENDANTS COMPOSING THE ADAMS-LEGERTON-WAKEFIELD-BROCKMAN AND OTHER 20TH CENTURY FAMILIES OF THE CAROLINAS...(MHS)

Custer, Milo, 1922, OLD FAMILY RECORDS, #2 and #3...Recomp. etc. (Adams, Allen, Buck, Cox, Custer, Daniel, Denman, Evans, Flesher, Franeberger, Haybarger, Kirkpatrick, McKesson, Lindley, Moore, Rayburn, Rutledge, Simmons, Van Nostin, Viney, Walden, Walker and Webb)

Henry, R. B., GENEALOGIES OF THE PRESIDENTS (SLPL)

Rice, Howard C. Jr., THE ADAMS FAMILY IN AUTEUIL, ... 1784-1785 (MHS)

Rubincam, Milton, 1960, DR. ARTHUR ADAMS (SLPL)

Whittemore, H., 1893, HISTORY OF THE ADAMS FAMILY WITH BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES OF DISTINGUISHED DESCENDANTS OF THE AMERICAN ANCESTORS INCLUDING COLLATERAL BRANCHES.

Wood, Eugene L., ADAMS, FLOYD & WOOD FAMILIES OF KENTUCKY & MISSOURI, PULASKI & CASEY COUNTY TO ANDREW AND GENTRY COUNTIES, MISSOURI AND OTHER LOCATIONS (NL)

--- PEDIGREE OF GILL OF JENKINS AND OF SPICER, ADAMS AND COOPER OF NEW JENKINS, COUNTY ESSEX, privately printed, 1872. (NL, probably British Museum)

If you still do not have the answer to our (your) question "TO BE OR NOT TO BE" (of the Presidential Adams family) a help may be found in one of the Historical Record Surveys which has certain limitation and has to be applied to a particular area. Do not overlook use of maps to become better acquainted with any area of interest. State and County histories may also contribute.

Reading census records is slow but some wonderful people have made indexes for some of them. Any Federal or State Census is useful but the Federal 1850 lists each person in a household by name, gives states, territory or country of birth and has a special enumeration of persons who had been married during the census year 1 July 1849--30 June 1850. Comparable dates apply for the Mortality Schedules of 1850, 1860, 1870 and 1880 which list all persons who died within the period and give quite a bit of information about the deceased. By 1880 the Census Bureau stock really went up with genealogists. Then they asked the relationship of each person in the household to the individual listed as its head and also the birthplace of each person enumerated but also the birth place for each of his or her parents!

For frequent consultation you should make a very fine addition to your library. An expenditure of sixty-five cents, sent to the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, will bring a GUIDE TO GENEALOGICAL RECORDS IN THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES, a 145 pg. paper-back book you may wear out with use. Please mark your envelope "Hand Stamp" if you send coin (to save the Post Office equipment) and "CASHIER" on the envelope to save time. To adequately identify the treasure you order, ask for Cat. No. GS 4,6/2:G28. At the Archives it is called the GENIE GUIDE.

Apply the area idea to local and state historical and genealogical organizations and their publications, you may find it rewarding to join.

Keep in mind that to assure yourself the tradition is true, or not true, a search that will increase your proved branches of the family tree is necessary, each generation and each date proved-with primary records. A negative reply to the question should not be disappointing because it will lead you to true identification and be an experience that makes history "come alive".

Many indexes and bibliographies will help you go back, step by step, from yourself. Any library--of size will hold some of these to help point your way at least. Many names other than ADAMS will require a search. Try these reference books for clues:

Hughes, AMERICAN ANCESTRY, 12v.
Sabin, AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY, 16v.
-- AMERICAN GENEALOGIST (catalogue)
Bolton, AMERICAN NOTICES 1785-1794
Cappon, AMERICN GENEALOGICAL PERIODICALS (Biblio. with finding list)
Crowther, SURNAME INDEX to 65v. COLONIAL & REVOLUTIONAY PEDIGREES.
Census Bureau, HEADS OF FAMILIES TAKEN FIRST CENSUS, 1790, 12v.
Cutter, NEW ENGLAND FAMILIES
D.A.R. D.A.R. MAGAZINE, MASTER INDEX TO GENEALOGY
D.A.R. PATRIOT INDEX
D.A.R. CATALOGUE OF GENEALOGICAL & HISTORICAL WORKS
Durrie, INDEX TO AMERICAN GENEALOGIES
Pitoni, GUIDEX GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH GUIDE
Hinshaw, ENCYC. AMERICAN QUAKER GENEALOGY
Jacobus, INDEX GENEALOGICAL PERIODICALS
Munsell, AMERICAN GENEALOGIST
Mackenzie, COLONIAL FAMILIES OF THE U.S.
Marshall, GENEALOGIST'S GUIDE
Peterson, BIBLIO. OF LOCAL HISTORY IN 35 STATES BEYOND ATLANTIC STATES.

Passano, AN INDEX OF SOURCE RECORD OF MARYLAND
Ray, INDEX & DIGEST TO HATHAWAYS NORTH CAROLINA HISTORICAL & GENEALOGICAL REGISTER
Rider, AMERICAN GENEALOGICAL BIOGRAPHICAL INDEX
Savage, GENEALOGICAL DICTIONARY OF NEW ENGLAND
Savage-Dexter, GENEALOGICAL CROSS INDEX
Virkus, COMPENDIUM OF AMERICAN GENEALOGY (with---- care)
DICTIONARY OF CANADIAN BIOGRAPHY
DETROIT SOCIETY FO GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH MAGAZINE
DICTIONARY OF AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY, 20v. INDEX.
GENEALOGICAL PERIODICAL ANNUAL INDEX
INDEX TO LINEAGE BOOKS, DAUGHTERS OF FOUNDERS AND PATRIOTS
INDEX OF REVOLUTIONARY WAR PENSION APPLICATIONS & TOPICAL INDEX for Quarterly, National Genealogical Society.
NEW ENGLAND HISTORICAL & GENEALOGICAL REGISTER,-- Indexes for places, persons & subjects.
GENEALOGICAL INDEX OF NEWBERRY LIBRARY OF CHICAGO
NEW YORK GENEALOGICAL & HISTORICAL RECORD
NATIONAL CYCLOPEDIA OF AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY
NEW YORK TIMES INDEX
BIBLIOGRAPHY OF COUNTY HISTORIES
BIBLIOGRAPHY OF LOCAL HISTORIES IN 35 STATES

Bible Records

The following Bible record was found in the James Taylor Adams Collection in Wise Virginia, having been sent to him by Mrs. Florence Sturgis McIlvaine of Pennsylvania in 1953. She was a great-great granddaughter of ROBERT ADAMS, SR.

ROBERT ADAMS, SR., born 8 October 1769 and married to REBECCA BLACKMORE the 22nd day of November 1796 at Washington, Pennsylvania.

REBECCA BLACKMORE was born 27 Feb. 1778 in the state of Maryland.

REBECCA ADAMS, SR., consort of ROBERT ADAMS, died 25 Dec. 1853 on Christmas Day aged 75 yrs., 9 mos., 27 days.

ROBERT ADAMS, SR., died 7 April 1864 in the 95th year of his age.

CHILDREN

SAMUEL ADAMS was born 11 Dec. 1797, died 11 July 1854, marr. SALLIE HATFIELD.

SARAH ADAMS was born 10 Mar. 1799, died 3 May 1830, marr. WILLIAM INGHRAM on 27 June 1816.

ELIZA ADAMS was born 25 Jan. 1801, marr. BENEDICT HOOK, 29 April 1824

MARIA ADAMS was born 21 Dec. 1802, died 8 July 1879, marr. ENOCH (van)BUSKIRK

MARGARET ADAMS was born 13 Jan, 1805 and died 21 Dec. 1811

ELIJAH ADAMS was born 28 Jan. 1807, died 6 Aug. 1885. Marr. 1st. JANE BUCHANAN, 2nd. MRS. MARTHA VAN VOORHIS.

ANN (NANCY) ADAMS was born 7 Mar 1809, died 5 Sep. 1885, Marr. JOHN HOOK on 9 Jan. 1828

DAWSON ADAMS was born 7 April 1811, died 8 Apr. 1890, marr. NANCY LEDWITH.

REBECCA ADAMS was born 30 Apr. 1813,died 31 July 1873, marr. WILLIAM W. SAYERS 11 March 1835.

SOFIAH ADAMS was born 23 Feb. 1815, died 22 Apr. 1855. Marr. GEORGE HOSKINSON 11 April 1833.

MARY ANN ADAMS was born 12 Feb. 1817 and died 23 Feb. 1817

ROBERT ADAMS was born 18 Feb. 1818, died 27 Nov.1854, marr. CAROLINE SIEGFRIED

JANE B. ADAMS was born 26 June 1822,died 3 April 1847. Marr. EZRA M. SAYERS, 25 Dec. 1839.

ROBERT AND REBECCA BLACKMORE ADAMS spent all the rest of their lives in Waynesburg, Pa. All their children were born there. The house they built in 1812 is still standing on N. Morris St., Waynesburg. Most of their children remained in the vicinity and many descendants live there to this date. The tan yard of ROBERT ADAMS adjoined his home and where the tan vats were placed is now a beautiful sunken garden. After much research down the years, it has been impossible to determine where ROBERT ADAMS was born. The only possible clue is that he once told some of the older generation, now gone, that he sat on his mother's front porch and watched the Battle of Brandywine. A search among the records of Chester Co., Pa. (locale of that battle) has failed to bring clues to light.

YOU ARE INVITED TO SEND BIBLE RECORDS TO ADAMS ADDENDA. BIBLE RECORDS ARE HIGHLY TREASURED BY ALL GENEALOGISTS..... WHY NOT SHARE THAT TREASURE WITH ALL?

A CENSUS OF PENSIONERS FOR REVOLUTIONARY OR MILITARY SERVICE. WITH NAMES, AGES, WITH WHOM RESIDES AND PLACE (COUNTY AND STATE). ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED UNDER THE ACT FOR TAKING THE SIXTH CENSUS IN 1840., IN 1841. REPRINTED 1967 by Genealogical Publishing Company, Baltimore, Maryland. Indexed & Cross referenced by Adams Addenda.

FIRST NAME	AGE	HEAD OF FAMILY
Aaron	78	Aaron Adams, Livingston Co,NY
Aaron	71	Aaron Adams, Grant Co. Ky.
Abigail	76	Abigail, Orange Co. Vt.
Abrazus (see Joseph)		
Adam	80	Charles Co. Md.
Alanson	84	Alanson Adams, Chittenden, Vt
Amos	94	Ephraim Washburn, Somerset,Me
Ansel	78	Ansel Adams, Barnstable, Ms.
Benjamin (see Joan)		
Benjamin (see Elizabeth Hutcherson)		
Benjamin	74	Benj. Adams, Chittenden Co.Vt
Benjamin	96	Geo.W. Adams, Jessamine Co.Ky
Daniel	89	Alpheus Nevers, Sullivan, NH.
Daniel Jr.	80	--, Essex Co. Ms.
David	83	Calvin May, Cheshire Co. NH.
David (see Sherwood Nance)		
David (see John N. Van Austin)		
Dolly	85	Nehemiah Adams, Essex Co. Ms.
Ebenezer	88	Ebenezer Adams,Dutchess, NY.
Edmond (see Eli Brown)		
Elias	76	Elias Adams, Worcester, Ms.
Elijah	87	Elisha Adams, Licking Co. Oh.
Elisha (see Elijah)		
Elizabeth	73	Silas Adams, Delaware Co. Oh.
Elizabeth	73	Ralph Smith, Suffolk, Ms.
Enoch	86	Sam'l Scribner, Merrimack,NH.
Enoch (see Reuben)		
Esther	75	John Adams, Merrimack, NH.
Francis	77	Francis Adams, Henry Co. Ga.
George W. (see Benjamin)		
Hannah	80	Joseph Adams, Windham Co.Ct.
Hannah (see Samuel)		
Heman	79	Warren Smith, Butler Co. Oh.
Horace (see Rhoda)		
Horatio (see John Smith)		
James	69	James Adams, Windham Co. Ct.
Jedediah	78	Joel Morse,Susquehanna, Pa.
Jemima	83	Cornelius Irish,Lincoln, Me.
Joan	83	Benjamin Adams, Middlesex Ms.
John (see Esther)		
John	81	John Adams, Rockingham Co.NH.
John	73	John Adams, Berkshire Co. Ms.
John	77	Ammon Jourdon, Orleans Co.Vt.
John	80	John Adams, Ontario Co. NY
John	78	J. Adams, Huntingdon Co. Pa.
John (see Thomas)		
John T. (see Mary Young)		
Jonas	77	Jonas Adams, Windsor Co.,Vt.
Jonas (see Molly)		
Jonathan	87	William Adams, Norfolk, Ms.
Jonathan	81	Jonathan Adams,Worcester,Ms.
Joseph	74	Abrazue Adams, Franklin Co.Me.
Joseph	91	Roswell Adams,Rutland Co. Vt.
Joseph (see Hannah)		
Levi Sr.	86	Levi Adams,Sr.Chatauque, NY.
Margaret (see Deborah Waters)		
Martha	77	Martha Adams, Strafford,NH.
Melas (see Ruth)		
Micajah	81	Micajah Adams,Sullivan Co.Tn.
Miriam	76	Miriam Adams,Worcester Co. Ms.
Molly	82	Jonas Adams, Hillsborough,NH.
Moses	86	Moses Adams,Portage Co. Oh.
Moses (see Susannah)		
Nehemiah (see Dolly)		
Patty	80	Samuel Adams, Essex Co. Vt.
Peter	98	Peter Adams, Bristol Co. Ms.
Peter	79	Peter B.Adams,Washington Ky.
Peter (see Thos. Whittier)		
Phillip	89	Phillip Adams, Windham Co.Vt.
Rebecca	77	Stephen Cromwell,Lincoln, Me.
Reuben		Enoch Adams, Worcester Co. Ms.
Reuben (see Fendal Roland)		
Rhoda	85	Horace Adams, Oneida Co. NY.
Roswell (See William)		
Roswell (see Joseph)		
Ruth	--	Melas Adams, Lewis Co. NY.
Samuel	78	Samuel Adams, Cuyahoga Co.Oh.
Samuel (see Patty)		
Samuel C.	76	Samuel C.Adams, Windham, Ct.

Samuel	83	Hannah P.Adams,Lincoln Co.Me.
Silas (see Elizabeth)		
Stephen (see Polly Belknap)		
Sumner	65	John Gill, Jefferson Co. NY.
Susan	99	--, Penobscot Co. Me.
Susannah	72	Moses Adams, Kennebec Co.Me.
Susanna	98	Peleg Lewis, Windham Co. Ct.
Thomas	78	Thomas Adams, Monroe Co.NY.
Thomas	83	Thomas Adams, Green Co. Oh.
Thomas	82	John Adams, Strafford Co. NH.
Timothy	78	Timothy Adams, Windsor Co.Vt.
Timothy (see Noah Harrington)		
William	87	Roswell Adams, New London,Ct.
William	78	William Adams,Middlesex, Ms.
William	85	Wm. Adams, Chatauque Co. NY.
William	94	Samuel Donley,Washington, Pa.
William	92	William Adams, Henry Co. Ky.
William (see Wm. Lathum)		
William (see Jonathan)		
William (see Roswell)		

BROWN, Eli 82 Edmond ADAMS, Herkimer Co. NY
BELKNAP, Polly 83 Stephen ADAMS, Essex Co. Vt.
HARRINGTON, Noah, 76, Timothy ADAMS,Worcester,Ms
HUTCHERSON,Elizab.,77,Benjamin ADAMS,Washington County, Vermont.
LATHUM, William, 75, William ADAMS, New London, Conn.'
NANCE, Sherwood, 86, David ADAMS,Union Dist.SC.
SMITH, John, 25, Horatio ADAMS, Monroe Co. NY.
VAN AUSTIN, John, 65, David ADAMS,Jackson,Mich.
WATERS, Deborah, 82, Marg't ADAMS,Rockingham NH.
YOUNG, Mary, 72, John T.ADDAMS, Clinton Co. NY.

ADAMS DEEDS, WILLS AND IMMIGRANTS ARE REPRINTED FROM "ADAMS FAMILY RECORDS" BY JAMES TAYLOR ADAMS, WISE, VIRGINIA, 1929.

Adams Deeds

Pittsylvania County, Virginia
Prior to 1827, Contributed

By Mrs. James S. Jones

Allen	1767
John and wife	1767
Sylvester	1771
Robert	1773
William	1773
John, Jr.	1774
Nathan	1774
Thomas	1779
George	1782
Absalom (1) 8-16	1784
Elkana	1785
Simon	1789
Nipper	1790
Nathan, Jr.	1796
Joel	1805
James	1805
Joel T.	1808
Nancy and Sons	1810
Harris	1812
Absalom (2) 11-15	1812
Nancy, Etc. (3)	1814
Peter	1815
Johnson	1817
Charles Lynch	1818
George, Jr.	1820
Edmund	1820
Redman	1820
Stokely	1821

(1) Absalom Adams was a resident of Pittsylvania County when he made this deed.

(2) This deed was made while Absalom Adams was living in the state of Georgia.

(3) A gift to sons, John, Peter, George and William.

Adams Wills

Proved in Barbados 1687-1834
Contributed

By E. M. Shilstone

George	1687
Robert	1688
..... (1)	1692
James	1693
Ann	1700
William	1703
John	1709
John	1713
William	1723
John	1732
Robert	1733
Samuel	1741
Conrade	1744
Conrade	1745
Hargrave	1746
John	1749
Samuel	1751
Jonathan	1753
Faithfull	1755
John	1774
Dorcas	1790
Samuel	1793
Hargrave	1800
Elizabeth	1801
S. C. C.	1806
S. M.	1807
Eleanor	1807
S.	1811
R.	1812
Elizabeth	1817
S. G.	1818
Sarah B.	1825
Sarah	1834

(1) From the manuscript it is not clear whether this is a second Robert Adams or an Adams will, the name of maker not legible.

Henry County Kentucky
October the 1, 1818

Dear uncle

I take this oppertunity to let you now that your relations in Henry are all well at present. It is with hart felt Sorrow that I relate to you that your father is ded he Depated this life September the 7 after a lingering tsate? for a Bout Seven month your mother is still living But is as frail as we have formely rote. She Still keeps haus Since the Death of grandfather and I Beleve Dus intend Doing so and I intend staying wither her if She keps hause by the Desire of your mother I wanst more invite you to come to See her and if you Do not Come Sone you may probably may never See her we have not heard from our relations in Jefferson only Uncle Francis Oldiet Daughter is laying Sick it is very Sickly in that part of the Cuntry and it is very Sickly in Henry there is Scarce a Day But what we hear of a Death I Send my Best love and Complyants to aunt and William tel William that he must not Direct his leters to Capt. Adams but directt them to mySelf grandmother desires you to anser this Leter ammed__ly [immediately] I have rote to William a Bove Seven weaks agoe and has receved no anser I have nothing mor to write at present. But remand, your Efection[ate] Kease [Niece] un to Death [Brackets supplied]

(s) Sarah Elder

Envelope addressed --

John Adams
Lebanon
Warin County
Ohio

From --

New Castle
2d Octr

Wills

I, JOHN ADAMS of Anson County in the State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and disposing memory, but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence, do make disclose and publish,this, my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say, First. That a decent burial be provided for my body suitable to my circumstances and the wishes of my family who shall survive me. And next I give and bequeath to my beloved wife SARAH, one tract of land purchased of MARY BLAKENEY, One other tract purchased of JOHN PRATT, Also one other tract purchased of CHARLES and BARTLETT HINSON, to have hold and use during her natural life, also the crop on hand of corn, fodder shucks and all the bacon and pork that may be on hand at the time of my deacease, also my entire stock of horses, cattle, hogs & sheep, Except one bay horse - to keep, use and dispose of as she shall think proper, also the household and kitchen furniture except one bureau and two beds of furniture, and also one negro woman AMY, I lend to my wife, SARAH during her natural life.

I give and bequeat to my daughter SUSANNA MARTIN'S children equally share and share alike, one negro woman ROSE and her entire increase.

I give and bequeath to my eldest son ARCHD.C. ADAMS two negro men JAMES and GEORGE, but provided he shall die without any lawful issue surviving him, than and in that case the two negroes, JAMES & GEORGE, it is my will and desire shall then be the property of my sons JOHN and THOMAS. I also give and bequeath to my son ARCHD. C. ADAMS all the money which I have heretofore furnished him.

I give and bequeath to my daughter MARY L. EVERETT'S children equally share and share alike two negres HANNAH and FLORA and their entire increase. And also I give to my daughter MARY L. EVERETT one negro woman AMY after the death of my wife SARAH.

I give and bequeath to my son JOHN B. ADAMS one negro boy MOSES and one negro girl CHARITY, one negro man DAVE and after his mother's death I also give and bequeath to my son JOHN B. ADAMS one third of the lands which I have given to her during her natural life. Or one third of the value of said lands. Also one fifth part of all the money and debts on hand and due at the time of my death.

I give and bequeath to my son THOMAS W. ADAMS one negro boy NATHANIEL, one negro girl JANE and one negro woman TENER with her entire increase. Also one fifth part of all the moneys and debts & C at the time of my death, also I give and bequeath to my siad son THOMAS W. ADAMS one third part of the-lands bequeathed to his mother, at the time of her death, or one third of the value of said lands to have and hold to him & his heirs forever.

I give and bequeath to my granddaughter MARY ANN PRATT and her heirs one tract of land purchased of BROOKS HINSON known as the GRANDMOTHER HINSON place, one other tract of land purchased of HARRIETT HINSON adjoining the last named tract, also one cow & calf and one bed of furniture also one seventh part of the moneys and debts & C that may be on hand at the time of my death. I give and bequeath to my grandson JOHN A. MARTIN and his heirs one tract of land lying on the Northeast side of Jones' Creek and one horse bridle and saddle.

I give and bequeath further to my daughter SUSAN D. MARTIN one fifth part of the money, cotton, debts & C that shall be on hand at the time of my death.

I give and bequeath further to my daughter MARY L. EVERETT one fifth part of all the money cotton--- debts and C that shall be on hand at the time of my death.

I give and bequeath to my dearly beloved wife SARAH one horse instead of all my stock of horses as is written in the foregoing part of this will but was not so intended to be.

I give and bequeath to WILLIAM THOMAS MARTIN my grandson one third part of all the lands I have bequeathed to his grandmother after her death or one third part of the value thereof.

And I JOHN ADAMS do hereby nominate and appoint my three sons ARCHIBALD, JOHN and THOMAS my execuors for the purpose of carrying into full effects all the provisions and intentions of this my last will and testament. And I do publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, and every part and clause thereof. Revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills heretofore by me made. I witness whereof I do hereunto set my hand and seal this 25th day of October AD 1848.

JOHN ADAMS (seal)

Signed and sealed and published
in the presence of the testator WM. CLARK X
in the presence of the testator HENRY DIGGS X
Arch C. ADAMS qualified.

The foregoing last will and testament of JOHN ADAMS, dec'd was duly proven in open court by the oath of WM. CLARK and HENRY DIGGS the suscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded whereupon ARCHD. C. ADAMS qualified as executor thereto and obtaining letters Testamentary.
Anson County North Carolina Court of Pleas & Quarters, Sessions January iss. 1849

(Refer to BIBLE RECORDS in Volume I, Summer Issue 1971, Adams Addenda, for further information on this family.) Material submitted by DR. CHARLEY SCOTT, P.O. Box 1336, UNiversity, Al. 35486.....

HELP WANTED HELP WANTED— HELP WANTED— HELP WANTED

WANTED!!! DATA FOR ADAMS HISTORY TO BE PUBLISHED WINTER 1971-2!!! Deathdates, places, of SELLECK ADAMS (1765 ca 1821) and wife ANNE CRANE (1770 ca 1820); lived Thompson, Sullivan Co., N.Y. Have data their son JEREMIAH (1794-1883) who moved ca 1832 to Harborcreek, Pa. with wife CATHERINE BOWEN (1799-1836). Want data of LUMAN (LAMAN) ADAMS (b.1790, m. HANCEY --); JASON ADAMS (1792-182-), HIRAM ADAMS (1796, m. DEBORAH --); JOHN TIMMAN or TRUMAN ADAMS (1798-1877) m. MARY GREY, liv. Chemung Co. N.Y.; TOTTEN (or JOTTEN) ADAMS (b.1801, m. SALLY ANN --); SELLECK ADAMS possibly had a daughter and one or two younger sons born ca 1801-10.....was one of these PETER (b. 1804, m. MARILDA???????? Was another the GEORGE ADAMS (b.1808ca) living with PETER in 1860 In Fallsburgh, N.Y? Desparate for information on these lines. Mrs. Harold ADAMS, RFD, Fox Creek Road, Victor, Id. 83455.

AN'QUEST'ORS

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1-22 JOHN ADAMS b. 1820 in Licking Co., Oh., m. ELIZABETH SUSAN CAREY before 1853. Mov. to Cumberland Co., Ill. in 1853. Mother might be MARTHA C. b. 1795. Known sibling: WILLIAM, & LYDIA ADAMS PUGH. JOHN & ELIZABETH d. of cholera ca 1862. Need parents.

1-23 SARAH ANN ADAMS m. PHILLIP? GRAVES(GREAVES). Liv. in S. W. Tenn. in early 1800's. Think she was of Caswell Co. N.C. Her father may have been HENRY or SAMUEL ADAMS. Her dau. SALLY ANN GRAVES m. Dr. DAVID W. ROSSON ca 1850, Hardeman Co. Tenn.

1-24 Info on JOHN ADAMS, dec'd 1815 in Floyd Co. Ky., now Letcher Co. Ky. Will share.

1-25 HENRY S. ADAMS b. 10 Apr. 1805, Bucyrus, Oh., m. JANE FLEMING of Va. Mov. to Porter Co. Ind., 1832 where he built 1st log cabin, 1st. Christian church, and first cemetery on his claim. Do you know his sibling and parentage? Have later info to share.

1-26 JOANNA ADAMS m. #1..RICHARD WESTCOTT ca 1640, #2.. NATHANIEL BALDWIN, #3..THOS. SKIDMORE or GEORGE ABBOTT. Liv. in Wethersfield, Ct. until 1645. Mov. to Stamford & Fairfield, Ct. Was she the dau. of JEREMY ADAMS. Did she have a sister ANN?

1-27 NANCY ADAMS b. Ky. m. to JOSEPH CUMMINGS b. in Ky. Dates needed. CH: JOHN b. Ky. 1822, JOSEPH b. Ill. 1833, PERRY,LYDIA, VIOLA, LAVICA, WILLIAM RILEY b. 1839, "DOC"ANDERSON & NANCY ANN (twins b. 1842), & JAMES. Later liv. in Ogle Co. Ill.

1-28 CATH. ADELLA ADAMS b. Suff. Ct., 1852. M. EDWARD W. BULL , b. Hartford, Ct. 1851. Marr. 31 Oct. 1878. CH: LOTTIE CORNELIA & EDITH ADELLA BULL (b. 1880 & 1882). Who were parents of CATHRINE ADELLA ADAMS? Will welcome all clues.

1-29 Seeking information concerning ADAMS & CUMMINGS families of Kentucky especially between 1800 & 1833. Will exchange data.

1-30 ISOM ADAMS was probably b. in Va. 1790-1800. His wife,MARY was b. in Va. in 1800. They were parents of: MARY JANE, ELIZA, ELIZABETH A., MATILDA, JAMES, SAMUEL, JOHN, GILLESPY, HARVEY and WILEY. ISOM ADAMS d. 24 Dec. 1844, MARY ADAMS will probated 1866 in Blount Co. Tenn. Who were parents of ISOM ADAMS? And MARY?

1-31 Want data on SARAH JANE ADAMS who m. JOHN STARNES (b. 1770) Their dau. MARGARET ELIZ. STARNES was b. 23 Jan. 1797. M. Wm. I. WILSON in 1827. JOHN STARNES lived in Hawkins Co. Tenn. D. and is buried Lee's Valley. Had 14 children. STARNES was in Russell Co. Va. This family has kinsmen named FISKE. I have so little data on this I do hope I can locate what I need.

1-32 Who was SUSAN ADAMS b. Ochtivah, Miss. about 1828? Died on 18 May 1878, buried Natchitoches, La.

1-33 JOHN AD(D)AMS lived in Fleming Co. Ky. 1840. Later moved to Harrison Co. Ky. Will exchange information.

1-34 JOSEPH C. ADAMS b. Ind., per 1850 census. Was in Lee co., Va. in 1860 census. Lived in Claiborne Co. Tenn. Desire available information on this wanderer. Happy to exchange notes.

1-35 HOPEWELL ADAMS made will Edgecome Co. N.C. 18 Oct. 1794. It was probated 1799. Will names children: WILLIAM, JANE, HOPEWELL and JAMES. I am desc. of JANE who marr. HIRAM ABRAHAM TENNISON.

1-36 MARY ADAMS marr. JAMES S. RAY, Jan. 1816 in St.Francois Co. Mo. Who were her parents?

1-37 SARAH ADAMS b. ca. 1767, d. 1838. Marr. ca. 1779 LODOWICK ADAMS DOBBS. Were they cousins? LODOWICK ADAMS DOBBS, b. 1759, in Va. or N.C., migrated to S.C. Lived at Abbeville & Anderson, S.C. & in Franklin Co. Ga. I have documented data on him. His will was probated 1814 in Anderson, S.C. Need parents of both.

1-38 MARY ADAMS, b. ca 1735, m. ca. 1754 FORTUNATUS DOBBS who d. ca 1792 at Abbeville, S.C. They had sons: WILLIAM, JOSIAH, LODOWICK, FORTUNE, and maybe others. Would you know?

1-39 JOHN ADAMS m. SARAH MARSHALL. Migrated to what is now Wheeling, W.Va. ca. 1790-1800. Their son: JOHN ADAMS, b. 1809,in Ohio, according to 1850 Miss. census (maybe Ohio Terr.)..Migrated down rivers to trade in New Orleans. His barge sank & he settled in Miss. Marr. MARY ANN EDDLEMAN & d. 12 May 1875 in Choctaw Co. Miss. Need ancestry on all aforementioned.

1-40 WILLIAM ADAMS, place of origin unknown. Lived in Barnwell Co. S.C. and died there in 1800. All clues gratefully received..

1-41 Information shared on BRITON ADAMS, b. S.C., ca 1800, DR. THOMAS JEFFERSON ADAMS b. Ga. 1834 & DR. EDWARD CALVIN ADAMS, b. 28 Aug. 1855, Mississippi.

1-42 Need birthplace of SUSAN ADAMS, b. 22 Dec. 1822, m. 1851 in Washington Co. Md. to DANIEL VALENTINE. Her father was PHILIP ADAMS. Interested in all VALENTINE's.

1-43 PHILIP ADAMS was b. 1632 York, Maine. Father was Samuel Adams, also of York. Willing to exchange data.

1-44 JOSH M. ADAMS settled in Pickens Co. Ala. about 1830. May have come from S.C. or Tenn. Do you know where? His son, SAMUEL H. ADAMS was born 1832.

1-45 Who were parents of DIANAH ADAMS? B. ca 1824 Ky. or Va. Is this a family name? Would like info on "ALL" DIANNAH ADAMSES.

1-46 My Grandmother was LYDIA ANN ADAMS who m. WILLIAM JESSE FELL and lived in Washington, D.C. Her mother was MARY ANN ADAMS. I do not have her father's name. Have been told we are direct des-

cendants of John Quincy Adams. Is this so?

1-47 WILLIAM M. ADAMS b. 11 May 1806. Where? Who were his parents? Marr. DRUSILLA P. TAYLOR, 16 Dec. 1829 & lived in Lancaster Co. S.C. before moving to Ala. in 1830's. Returned and died in Lancaster Co., S.C., d. 6 Sept. 1874.

1-48 Parents of SABRINA E. ADAMS needed. Born 4 Jan, 1829, census place of birth given as Tenn. Marr. NEAL ALEXANDER HOLT in Gibson Co. Tenn. He was b. 22 June 1829 N.C. Marr. 10 Aug.1848.

1-49 MARY (POLLY) ADAMS marr. THEODORUS WILLIAMSON VAN ARSDALE, 5 Sep. 1801 in Shelby Co. Ky. Her mother, MARTHA ADAMS, widow, gave consent to marriage.MARY d. Sep. 1844, Switzerland Co. Ind.

1-50 WILLIAM S. ADAMS of Dinwiddie Co. Va. marr. JANE ADAMS, his first cousin. Ca 1790-1800. Desire correspondence with family.

1-51 WANTED!!! Ancestors of ISAAC ADAMS. Marr. EXONY (NOONY, or ONIE) INGRAM, dau. of JAMES INGRAM, SR. before 1806. Reputed to live in Franklin Co. Va. Children: ABRAM (m. RUTH TURNER), NANCY b. 1819 (m. CHARLES PATTERSON NOLAN), BETSY (m. JOHN AKERS),SALLY (m. ThoMAS WOOLWINE), POLLY A. (m. JEFF TAYLOR), unknown dau. m. a ROSENBAUM, unknown dau. m. HARDEN HALL.

1-52 Need parents and dates of SUSAN ADAMS ca 1809, Adams County Ohio. Marr. ROBERT LUTHER MCMAHON ca 1826. Both died Blanchard, Iowa in 1893.

1-52b EPHRIAM NATHANIAL ADAMS b. Md., d. Highland Co. Ohio. Marr. LYDIA LANDERS (SNYDER). She d. Kalona, Iowa. Children: MALINDA b. 1808, ELI b. 1810, MARY b. 1818, MATILDA b. 1821, ELIZABETH b. 1822, SUSAN ANN b. 1830(m. WILLIAM D. HALL). All children b. in Highland Co. Ohio. Need parents & dates of EPHRIAM. Will share.

1-53 JOSEPH ADAMS, marr. 1756, Uxbridge, Mass., d. 1807, Greene, Maine. Desire help with parentage. Rev. WILLIAM ADAMS of Ipswich and Dedham, marr. ALICE BRADFORD. Their dau. ABIEL ADAMS, marr. Rev. JOSEPH METCALF. Particularly need help with JOSEPH.

1-54 Information wanted on CHRISTENA ADAMS who is said to be the wife of GEORGE PUTERBAUGH, a German who landed in Philadelphia, 1752. GEORGE & CHRISTENA m. marr. about 1756. Children: JACOB, GEORGE II, HENRY, JOHN, MARY BURKHART, CHRISTENA DILLINGER, DAVID and CATHERINE HAWKER (and WOLF). This family lived in Washington Co. Md., & later Franklin Co. Pa. Was CHRISTENA German too?

1-55 Children of JESSE ADAMS (b.1785) & MARGARET ADAMS: ZACHARIAH (b. 1808), WILLIAM FRANKLIN (b. 1810), JOHN HARRISON (b. 1812), ELIZABETH L. (b.1813), NANCY DEMARIS (b.1816), JESSE PINKNEY (b. 1824). Would like to work with others of this line and locate parents of JESSE ADAMS. Happy to exchange data.

1-56 GEORGE ADAMS b. 1703, County Cork, Ire. marr. MARY YOUNT of same country. One "known" child, JACOB ADAMS, b. 1729 in Ire. The family came to U.S. 1740. Where??? He marr. POLLY LINCH in 1850. Only "known" child is JACOB II. This latter JACOB married POLLY AN REDMON (have no dates on this), their youngest dau. EUNICE ANN ADAMS b. 17 July 1820 in Kentucky, marr. AMBROSE ALLEN HUTSON and had 8 children, the oldest b. in Shelby Co. Ky. Help!

1-57 Desire to know parents of LEMUEL ADAMS b. 1797, Va. Legend says his father was LEMUEL & his mother d. when he was 2. She was killed when a bear scared her horse. LEMUEL was raised by her family. Who were they? LEMUEL marr. ELIZABETH BREWER in Blount, Co. Tenn. They mov. to Texas ca 1845. Was in War of 1812.

1-58 DAVID C. ADAMS, b. 1827. Marr. MARY (POLLY) STOKES, lived in Pitt Co. N.C. moving to Beaufort Co. N.C. after Civil War. Informations needed badly. ABRAHAM ADAMS lived in Beaufort Co.N.C. ca 1726 have much documented material on him, will exchange.

1-59 REBECCA ADAMS, d. 17 Sep 1727 at Canterbury, Conn. Marr. in 1676 at Charlestown, Mass. to JOHN WALDO. Seeking birthdate, and ancestry of REBECCA ADAMS. WALDO information appreciated, too.

1-60 WILLIAM ADAMS d. 1803 Barnwell Co. S.C. Marr. JOANNAH believed to have maiden name of COKER. Children: JOHN, WILLIAM JR. (marr. PERMELIA SMITH), ELIZABETH, POLLY, SUSANNA, SALLY, NANCY, HANNAH, JAMES and REBECCA. Need parents of WILLIAM & JOANNAH who may have come from the Chester-Union-York area of Charleston.

1-62 I need to know the parents of ARTHENA ELIZABETH ADAMS, b. ca 1817, prob. Boone Co. Ky. Need birthdate, place and marriage to ROBERT DUDLEY. When did ROBERT DUDLEY die? 1834-40 Boone Co. Ky. Her second marr. was to ERTMAN AULICK & lived Pendleton Co. Ky.

1-63 ROBERT ADAMS, my emigrant ancestor, was b. 1602, Devonshire, England. D. 12 Oct. 1682 at Newbury, Mass. His father was ROBERT ADAMS of England. Would like more information.

1-64 JOHN B. ADAMS lived Letcher, Perry or Floyd Co. Ky. area. I would appreciate others researching this name and area writing.

1-65 MOSES ADAMS, b. 1775 in N.C. marr. MARY GARLAND dau. of SAMUEL GARLAND in 1796. Have proof. His second wife was KISSIAH=== HAYS. D. Letcher Co. Ky. WILLIAM ADAMS reputed to be his father would like proof. Was WILLIAM ADAMS marr. to MARY BAKER or MARY COPENHAVER? Is he the WILLIAM ADAMS named in will of BENJAMIN ADAMS in 1755, N.C.? Have a very large file, will exchange.

1-67 JOSEPH ADAMS II, b. 1794 Boston, Mass., 28 Nov. 1818, marr. LUCINDA BRENGLE in New Orleans, La. D. 1834 in Cuba. Was son of JOSEPH AND LYDIA HINCKLEY ADAMS. Would like more information.

1-68 SOLOMON ADAMS, b. 22 Feb 1771, N.C. Where? D. 1882 Macon, Co. Tenn. Marr. Millie ?? and Martha ?? Children: POLLY (dy), JESSE P. (1800), SALLY (1802), LEROY P. (1805), JOHN A. (1808), AGNES (1810), HIRAM C. (1818), REUBEN H. (1819), THOMAS W.(1822), AMANDA A. (1835), LOUISA ELIZABETH (1837), SOLOMON D'ESTAIGN (1838). Need parentage of SOLOMON and wives maiden names.

1-69 Can you supply parents of JOHN ADAMS, b. ca 1730 Brunswick Co. Va., d. Halifax Co. Va. after 1782? Pvt. in Revolutionary War. D. 1839 Halifax Co. Va.

1-70 ALLEN ADAMS b. 1804 Jefferson Co. Ky. marr. SUSAN VANCE and MRS. AUGUSTA TALIAFERRO THORNS. Was son of FRANCIS & MARY KIRKWOOD ADAMS of Penn. Need other ancestors. Also desire info pertaining to MARTIN ADAMS a contemporary of ALLEN. Need wife.

1-71 Desparate for proof of parentage of ELIJAH ADAMS (Perrin's= History of Kentucky says he was born in Holland, I think this an error.) Seven brothers immigrated to America and fought in Rev. War. Only two survived, or returned to Ky. Can any one authenticate this legend? Lived near Barren Co. Ky.

1-72 Have information on a ROBERT ADAMS who was killed by Indian party near Lampasas, Texas in 1859. Will send for S.A.S.E.

1-73 JAMES ADAMS, b. 1735 in Ireland. D. 1821 in Miami Co. Ohio. M. MARGARET MORRISON and liv. in ROWAN or IREDELL CO. N.C. Need documentation and will exchange. Son DAVID ADAMS b. 1784 N.C.

1-74 MOSES ADAMS, SR. 1774, N.C. Marr. BETSY ?? . Had a bro. WILLIAM ADAMS. Listed in 1850 Letcher Co. Ky. Census.

1-77 Want information on JOHN ADAMS in Rowan Co. N.C. 1780. Mov. to what is now Letcher Co. Ky. in early 1800's.

1-78 MARY (ANN) ADAMS, b. 9 July 1820 near Warren, Pa., d. Sept. 1863, Butler Co. Pa. Marr. 11 Nov 1840 (Where?) to ANDREW NORCROSS. Children: SAMUEL ADAMS NORCROSS, WILLIAM JAMES, MARTIN N. and LUCY MALISSA, NANCY JANE and ORRA ANN.

1-79 JOHN ADAMS b. Va. marr. MARY HOLLINGSWORTH of Va. Lived in Indiana ca 1841 when dau. SUSAN ADAMS was born. Can any one give data on this family? Need help. Have no Va. data. Only one source of documentation existing.

1-80 DANIEL W. ADAMS, b. 20 Sep. 1786, d. 17 June 1847, marr. 30 July 1809 to ESTHER KEITH (1790-1875). Had 9 children. Info obtained from Bible in Massachusets. Can any one supply places?

1-81 Any information appreciated on BENJAMIN ADAMS, N.C. ca 1770

1-82 ALFRED PEPPER ADAMS b. 9 Jan. 1824 in Bracken Co. Ky. marr. Dec. 1845 to EMILY DUKE MCCRADY. Moved to Hancock Co. Ill. about 1852. His father was NATHANIEL ADAMS. Need other data.

1-83 MOSES ADAMS of Virginia and North Carolina. Lived in eastern Kentucky ca 1806.

[ADAMS ADDENDA PLANS A "MOSES ADAMS" PAGE IN A FUTURE EDITION SEND IN ANY NOTES YOU HAVE ON THIS NAME]....[THERE WILL ALSO BE PAGES FOR DAVID, MARTIN, SPENCER, ETC. AS MATERIAL ACCUMULATES.]

1-84 About 1791 in N.C. JOHN ADAMS was born. He marr. ELIZABETH ?? who was b. in N.C. ca 1800. They moved to Smith Co. Tenn. ca 1822 (later became Macon Co. Tenn.) Need particulars about JOHN.

1-85 Who were parents of HOMER F. ADAMS, born ca 1893, someplace in Southern ILlinois?

1-86 JESSE ADAMS, 1799-1874, origin, Cumberland Valley, Ky. In Arkansas ca 1853, later to Taney County, Missouri. Can furnish Mo. information.

1-87 JOHN ADAMS lived ca 1785-1848 in Anson Co. N.C. He may be the son of LEVI ADAMS (died Anson Co. 1819). LEVI probably moved to Anson Co. N.C. from Pitt Co. before 1800 and is son of ARCHIBALD ADAMS. Ancestry proven to JOHN ADAMS. Need verification.

1-88 Who can help with MICHAEL ADAMS born 1829 in Dublin, Ireland.

1-89 My grandfather, WALTER G. ADAMS, was b. in Sedalia, Mo. He has given his father's name as WILLIAM ADAMS on one document and as MARTIN ADAMS on another. He was b. 13 May 1859.

1-90 Parentage of ROBERT ADAMS, b. England 1602. Came to Ipswich Mass. 1635. Lived in Salem 1638-9, Moved to Newbury 1640.

1-92 PHILIP ADAMS marr. JOANNA PEARSON, 19 Nov. 1799, City Document 101, Boston, Mass. Marriages. She was dau. of James & ABIGAIL PEARSON and was b. 17 Sep. 1779. Who were his parents?

1-93 AMERICAN ADAMS, P.O. Brod Head, Ky. is listed on a sheet of family data I have. Who is this person? Other surnames on list are: CRANK, FORTNEY, DICKERSON, COMBS and STEWART.

1-94 JAMES F. ADAMS, b. 3 July 1823, Ohio. Marr. SARAH PROVOLT (where?). Died 1884 Polk Co. Iowa. Children: EMILY C. (1846), and JOHN HENRY (1848) both born in Ind. and d. in Calif. White, Co. Ind. 1850 census, 1860-80 Polk Co. Iowa census. Need parents.

1-95 GEORGE ADAMS, and wife FRANCES, came to Watertown, Mass. ca 1645. Moved to Lexington. Children: JOHN (dy), GEORGE (1647), DANIEL (1652), JOHN (1657), SAMUEL and MARY (1686). Ancestors of GEORGE ADAMS needed. Interested in all TRAMMELL, ABELL, DUNKUM,

FRY, GENTRY, RALLS, of Albemarle Co. Va. (This courtesy listing thanks the contributor for additional material sent the Addenda.)

1-96 WILLIAM H. ADAMS, b. 7 Jan. 1822, Fayette Co. Ky. marr. IANTHI J. BROCKMAN (1828 KY) dau. of MARY BROCKMAN. WILLIAM & IANTHIA were in Randolph Co. Mo. 1850 census. Who were parents of WILLIAM H.? How were ELIJAH & SARAH TOMLINSON BROCKMAN related? Would like Virginia BROCKMAN information.

1-97 HENRY ADAMS, b. ca 1583 England. Granted land in Braintree, Mass. ca 1639. Buried Quincy, Mass.8 Oct. 1646. Had marr. EDITH SQUIRE in England. Have proven lines.and possible parentage of HENRY. A direct lineage chart in Adams Addenda file.

1-98 Who was SUSANNAH ADAMS who marr. SAMUEL ESTEP, 3 Nov. 1789, Rowan Co. N.C. (See current Marriage Index)? I have searched for several years for her parentage. Will you, or can you, help?

1-99 In the 1850's HIRAM ADAMS moved to Flint, Michigan from central New York. Prob. b. 1805. Forebears & data desireable.

1-100 Who were parents of SARAH ADAMS? B. Va. 1800. Family came to Mo. with some of the Boone's. SARAH marr. RICHARD GOOD at OLD FT. SIBLEY, MO. 25 Dec. 1822. In Wisc. Terr. ca 1840. Return to Mo. (Bates Co.) ca 1870. D. 1880.

1-103 WILLIAM ADAMS, b. 17 Apr 1833, Wayne Co. Ind. Mother was an ADAMS. Raised by two of her bachelor brothers. Marr. to LUCINDA HUNTZINGER 1855. Moved to Mo. in 1868. (Check Court Record Books for info. Also, Guardian and Administrator Books.)

1-104 Can anyone identify SYLVANUS ADAMS (perhaps had wife ASEN-= ATH) deeded land in Lorain Co., Ohio 1825? Is he the same SYLVANUS appearing in 1810 census Jefferson Co. N.Y.?

1-104 WILLIAM ELI ADAMS of Lorain Co. Ohio. b. 1794 ca. Conn. was in Ohio by 1839. May have been from Richfield, N.Y. Wife named LOVISA. Children: WILLIAM ELI, HENRY, GEORGE, MARK, IRA, SARAH E., JANETTE, JANE and SABRINA.

1-104 Ancestry for RUBY (PHOEBE) ADAMS, b. 1800 Vt., marr. 1827 ALBERT BRONSON, Lorain Co. Ohio. Who were her parents?

1-104 Was WILLIAM ADAMS of Waterbury, Conn (d. 1793) (b.1714) the same WILLIAM ADAMS b. Hartford, Conn. 6 Sep. 1714, son of JOHN & ESTHER FORD ADAMS? JOHN & ESTHER lived in Concord, Mass., Charles town, Mass., Enfield, Conn. & had children: MARY (1697), HESTER (1701), poss. ELIZABETH (1706), JOHN (1708), ABIGAIL (1710), PATIENCE (1712), WILLIAM (1714), SYLVANUS (1719).

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FAMILY GROUP

No. _____ _____ SURNAME

Husband's Full Name:					
Vital Data	Day	Mo.	Year	Town	County	State or Country
Birth						
Christen.						
Marriage						
Death				Cause:		
Burial				Cemetery:		
Father's Full Name				Mother's Maiden Name		
Other wives: Remarks:				Military		
Wife's Full Maiden Name:						
Vital Date	Day	Mo.	Year	Town	County	State or Country
Birth						
Christen.						
Death				Cause:		
Burial				Cemetery:		
Father's Full Name				Mother's Maiden Name		
Other husbands: Remarks:						

(Arrange in order of birth)

CHILDREN

Sex	Full Name	Vital Data	Date	Place
	1	Birth		
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	2	Birth		
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Dear Adams Friends,

We've been "set up" by Galen Adams comment, "I honestly believe you two may straighten out this Adams 'mess' yet--at least this is the first time I have been encouraged in years". Thank you, Mr. Adams, you encourage us. We hope this holds true for all of you and sincerely long to be a service to each of you.

This is the final issue of our first year of publication. We hope that each of you will re-subscribe for 1972 as soon as possible. Three issues are planned again, the first to be released in February. We cannot operate as a commercial magazine so this is your one invitation to renew. A blank is enclosed for your convenience in re-newing. We treasure each of our new found friends and deplore the thought of losing even one of you.

Several subscribers have given gift supscriptions to genealogically inclined Adams friends and relatives. Younger members of families have been recipients of such gifts. (We hope this has effectively engaged interest in family history for another generation.)

We have "great" plans for the Addenda ahead of us! In October, after this issue has gone to press, we plan to microfilm the Adams genealogical material in the thirty year accumulation of the late James Taylor Adams. The Clinch Valley College in Wise, Virginia has graciously consented and has offered their co-operation in processing the hundred and forty-three Bollinger boxes. Hopefully, this storehouse holds the secret to many Adams mysteries. Only indexing will make it accessible to each of us. Perhaps you'd like to help?

We are very pleased with the many reviews given the Addenda. The Virginia Genealogist, Southwestern Genealogist, Car-Del Scribe, Linkage for Ancestors, Lindner Family News, and the St. Louis Genealogical Society and Tri-State Trader have been complimentary and encouraging.

The March 20, 1971 issue of Tri-State Trader had a review of Virginia Hooper's WE TRAVEL WITH A MULTITUDE which has a chapter on Adamses. Mr. Willard Heiss commented it should have wide interest as these are Henry and Oldham County, Kentucky families. His review of ADAMS ADDENDA in that same issue said, "I would like to see a thorough study of the Henry and Oldham County Kentucky Adams families". Since then, Mr. Heiss told us of one Adams family who went from the area to Bartholomew County, Indiana and later to Andrew County, Missouri to be found in the 1850 census. (We'll be publishing the 1850 Missouri Adamses shortly.)

We cannot thank each of you who have contributed material to the Addenda nearly enough. All letters,and material have been indexed by name and by place. There is also an index to surnames other than Adams. Because of this it is very important to include places if known, with an emphasis on county places rather than towns. Maiden names of wives, mothers, etc., should be presented when known, followed by "?" if suspected, they may help someone and BOOMERANG!! If you have not returned the Family Group Sheet included in the Summer issue, please do. Fill in the most complete family you have. It will be filed, indexed and perhaps published.

We are being encouraged by subscribers in forty states giving great co-operation. Before all the praise goes to our heads---bring us down to earth with some constructive criticism and suggested solutions to the problems. This is YOUR magazine.

Don't forget, this is the last issue for this year. Filling in the enclosed form and returning it with a five dollar remittance will be an open invitation for hundreds of Adams Ancestors to invade your genealogical files in 1972.

It is early, but this is our last opportunity, to wish you a Merry Christmas, and we DO! 1972 we hope, will be a Prosperous, Happy, Healthy New Year filled with "HAPPY HUNTING"!

Cordially,

Ruth R. Seibel

P.S..The week of October 18th we'll be microfilming in Wise, Virginia. "Y'all come!"

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ADAMS OF SNOW HILL

By KATHERINE KELLOGG ADAMS

ACCORDING to the most reliable information obtainable Phillip Addams,[1] and his wife Anne, were living in Somerset County, Maryland, as early as 1676. Anne must have died about 1688; for on September 1, 1691, Phillip married his second wife, Mary Barry. He died in 1696.

Second Generation

Children of Phillip and Anne (Crewe) Addams; residence Somerset County, Maryland.

2. (1) Thomas,[2] born November 8, 1673; died in 1735. In 1693 he was executor of his father's estate. Married Annie Long, daughter of Samuel Long and his wife Jane Mitchell. At the time of his death he owned three tracts of land in Somerset County, called: "Turkey Trap," "Addams's Purchase" and "Addams's Garden," which he left to his four sons.
3. (2) Jacob, born December 16, 1676; married Anne Collins and had several children. Anne died before 1697. Married, second, in 1697, Catherine Regon (Riggin?).
4. (3) Phillip, born April 21, 1679; married before 1707, Ellis (possibly Ellen, Elsie, or even Anne) _____. He was a planter of Somerset City. His will dated January 6, 1769, was proven June 30, 1772.
5. (4) William, born April 17, 1681.
6. (5) Mary, born March 1, 1683.
7. (6) George, born April 2, 1685.
8. (7) David, born January 20, 1687.

Children of Phillip and Mary (Barry) Addams; residence Somerset County, Maryland.

9. (8) Anne, born September 4, 1692.
10. (9) Abraham, born August 26, 1694.

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[1] PHILLIP ADDAMS, born about 1650; died 1696, Somerset County, Maryland; married July 9, 1670, at Marumsco, Somerset City, Maryland, ANNE CREWE, who died before 1691; married second Mary Barry, Sept. 1, 1691. They owned tracts in Somerset; one, called Addams's Purchase, was conveyed to Thomas Addams in 1696.

[2] Will on record in Somerset City. Thomas Addams was taxable in Pocomoke Hundred (See Lord Baltimore's Rent Roll, "Calvert Papers.")

Third Generation

2. Children of Thomas (2)—Phillip (1)—and Anne (Long) Addams; residence Somerset City, Maryland.

11. (1) Abraham, born about 1697; married _____. Was a cordwainer in Somerset City; died 1752-3.
12. (2) David, born about 1699; received from his father, Thomas, in 1735, parts of three tracts of land, namely: "Turkey Trap," "Addams's Purchase" and "Addams's Garden." He died in 1753 and left his lands to his nephew, Phillip Addams, son of his brother, Abraham.
13. (3) Thomas, born about 1701; was a cordwainer in Somerset City.
14. (4) Anne, born about 1703.
15. (5) Isaac, born about 1712; died in 1763. Married in 1736, Elizabeth Addams, who was probably a daughter of Collins Addams, that was mentioned in the will of Mary Collins, made in 1713, and by the provisions of which he inherited a 200 acre tract of land called: "Snowes Hill."

4. Children of Phillip (2)—Phillip (1)—and Ellis (_____) Addams; residence Somerset County, Maryland.

16. (1) Hope, born about 1712; had died before January 6, 1769, at which time his sons were mentioned in their grandfather's will.
17. (2) Rhoda, born about 1715; married about 1735, Fountaine Beauchamp. They owned lands called: "Mitchell's Adventure" and "Good Hope."
18. (3) Elizabeth, born about 1717; married Mr. Matthews.
19. (4) Mary, born about 1720; married Mr. Marshall.
20. (5) Grace, born about 1722; married Mr. Marshall.
21. (6) Sarah, born about 1724; married Thomas Addams, probably her cousin. See Thomas Addams 13 (3).
22. (7) Tabitha, born about 1727; married April 20, 1746, William Addams, probably a cousin, and son of either, Jacob Addams 3 (2), David Addams 8 (7), William Addams 5 (4), or George Addams 7 (6).

Fourth Generation

11. Child of Abraham (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1)—and _____ (_____) Addams; residence Somerset City, Maryland.

23. (1) Phillip, known as "Phillip Addams the Younger," was born about 1720; married Sarah _____ and died _____. He was the heir of his uncle, David Addams, who died in 1753 and left 50 acres of "Addams's Purchase" and 100 acres of "Turkey Trap." In 1753 he sold to his uncle, Isaac Addams, a part of "King's Lott" and "Addams's Garden." In the same year he

sold to Samuel Addams 100 acres of "Turkey Trap" and in 1755 he sold lands to Samuel Collins Addams and his uncle Isaac Addams.

15. Children of Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1)—and Elizabeth (Addams) Addams; residence Snow Hill (Snowes Hill), Maryland.

24. (1) Ephraim, born March 10, 1741-2; executor of his father's estate in 1763.
25. (2) Leah, born February 14, 1743-4.
26. (3) Isaac, born April 3, 1746; died _____, 1798. Married December 16, 1764, Mary Carsely (Kearsely?).
27. (4) Eli, born October 22, 1748; died _____, 1795. Married November 19, 1770, Sophira (Sephiah, possibly Sopha) Addams, the daughter of Phillip Addams (probably Phillip, called the "Younger.") See 23 (1).

16. Children of Hope (3)—Phillip (2)—Philip (1)—and _____ (_____) Addams; residence unknown.

28. (1) David, mentioned in his grandfather's will in 1769. See 4 (2).
29. (2) Jesse, mentioned in his grandfather's will. Together with his brothers, Hope and Phillip received a marsh in Condoqua Marsh.
30. (3) Hope
31. (4) Phillip

17. Children of Rhoda (3)—Phillip (2)—Phillip (1)—Addams and Fountaine Beauchamp; residence unknown.

32. (1) Phillip, mentioned in his grandfather Phillip Addams's will in 1769.
33. (2) Tabitha, mentioned in her grandfather's will, 1769.

21. Children of Sarah (3)—Phillip (2)—Phillip (1)—Addams and Thomas Addams; residence unknown—probably Somerset City, Maryland. See 13 (3).

34. (1) Phillip, mentioned in his grandfather's will, 1769.

22. Children of Tabitha (3)—Phillip (2)—Phillip (1)—Addams and William Addams; residence unknown—children listed in Coventry Parish records.

35. (1) Unnamed son.
36. (2) Sophira, born about 1749; married November 19, 1770, Eli Addams. See 27 (4).
37. (3) William, born about 1751.
38. (4) Hope, born about 1754.
39. (5) Phillip, born about 1757.
40. (6) Isaac, born about 1759.

Fifth Generation

27. Children of Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Philip (1) and Sophira (36) (Addams) Addams; residence Snow Hill, Maryland. Probably had several children but only three are known.

41. (1) Angelo, born at Snow Hill, Maryland, March 2, 1771-2; married about 1790 Elizabeth Killiam (Kellam?); emigrated to Kentucky about 1808 and settled in Harrison County; removed to Greene County, Ohio, and from there to Madison County, of the same state. Elizabeth died at or near Xenia, Ohio, and he died in Madison County, or in Illinois.
42. (2) Elizabeth, born at Snow Hill, Maryland, about 1773-4; married, in 1790, James Crawford, born May 21, 1771; died August 25, 1853. They moved to Ohio and settled at Xenia, where Elizabeth died October, 1870. In 1795, Eli Addams gave to his daughter, Elizabeth, "all that part of Williams's Choice," where I now live.
43. (3) Eli, born at Snow Hill, Maryland, July 13, 1785; died at Tradersville, Ohio, May 16, 1870, at the home of his son Eli Henry Adams. His father died when he was about ten years of age, and a short time later, about 1800, the mother moved with her children to Kentucky and settled near Lebanon. In the year 1808 he went to Xenia, Ohio, where on August 2, 1810, he married Elizabeth Beeks, who was born in Augusta County, Virginia, November 15, 1790, and died at Mechanicsburg, Ohio, November 18, 1847. Her father was Christopher Beeks, descendant of Anthony Bek (Beke, Beeks), Bishop of Durham and King of the Isle of Man in the thirteenth century. Christopher Beeks came to America at the time of the Revolution with a Commission from the King of England, but deciding that the Cause of the Americans was just, he returned the Commission and joined the Americans in their struggle for freedom.
Eli Adams was a local preacher in the Ohio Methodist Epsicopal Church for over fifty years.

In November, 1847, the following obituary notice of Mrs. Elizabeth (Beeks) Adams, by C. B. Warrington, appeared in Ohio newspapers.

ELIZABETH BEEKS ADAMS

Died November 18, 1847, near Mechanicsburg, Champaign County, Ohio, sister Elizabeth Adams, consort of Rev. Eli Adams, and daughter of Christopher and Catherine Beeks.

Sister Adams was born November 15, 1790, in the state of Virginia and emigrated, with her parents, from Augusta County to Xenia, Ohio, where in August, 1810, she was united in marriage to Reverend Eli Adams.

In 1814 she, with her husband, united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, and soon thereafter embraced religion. She was a pious and exemplary Christian, beloved by all who knew her, and has left an effectionate husband and eight children, with a large circle of friends and acquaintances, to mourn her loss; she died in the triumph of faith and gave satisfactory evidence that she has gone to the Regions of Light and Bliss.

She endured her affliction with patience and Christian fortitude.

For about eighteen months previous to her decease her zeal in the service of God was very much increased, and frequently while engaged in family devotion, she was constrained to praise the Lord aloud. A short while before she died she tenderly embraced her husband and said: "We have lived to see all our children grown but one, and the Lord will take care of him. We have been blessed above many parents in this respect. It was not designed for us always to remain here together. We must part. This body is all weakness, but God is my strength."

Five of her children, she called them one by one to her bedside and after affectionately embracing them, bid them farewell and exorted them to meet her in Heaven. Taking her son, who was the attending physician, by the hand, she said: "William, my child, live for God. Mourn not for me; as children you have been greatly blessed; you have not been deprived of your parents in early life and thrown upon an unfriendly world like many others; but the Lord has permitted us to raise you all, but James."

She then again called James to her bedside and said to him: "Be a good boy and meet your mother in Heaven."

Three of her sons being in Illinois, her dying request to them was to meet her in Heaven.

Her only sister, Mrs. Mary Powers, being present and not a subject of Saving Grace, she affectionately addressed her on the subject of religion and exorted her to seek salvation and meet her in Heaven.

She requested to be buried at Mechanicsburg; and desired that her funeral sermon be preached from Revelations: Fourteenth chapter and thirteenth verse, "And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them." Her request was fulfilled.

She died of inflamation of the lungs.

The following obituary notice, and sketch of the life of the Reverend Eli Adams (43), was prepared by William Williams, and published in church and newspapers in the vicinity of Tradersville and Xenia, shortly after his death in May, 1870.

ELI ADAMS

The subject of this sketch was born in Worcester County, Maryland, July 13, 1785. He was brought by his widowed mother to the western wilds and settled in what now constitutes the state of Kentucky when he was but seven years of age. Here he remained until 1808, when he removed to Xenia, Ohio. In 1810 he was united in marriage to Elizabeth Beeks, with whom he lived long, and happily.

In 1814, they both experienced religion and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church and continued faithful members of the same until death gave them their discharge and reward. Brother Adams was licensed to preach about fifty years ago; four years after was ordained deacon, and four years from that, elder. In his private and public relations to the church he was always faithful, earnest, devoted.

He preached a great deal and was always respected as a very industrious, and earnest minister of the Word, and only failed to work for the Master when old age and increasing infirmities rendered it impossible.

As a citizen, he stood without reproach or suspicion, strictly upright in all business relations, and was highly esteemed by his neighbors.

His religious life was more distinctly marked by a holy, sweet example than by words or outward professions; he lived well and around his life there gathered a quiet, spiritual power. Thus was the church blessed through fifty years with this pure and devoted life.

Many will rise up in Heaven and call him blessed. His form and words are gone but his spirit is indelibly impressed on our souls.

His patience, love and wisdom are more sacred now than when he moved among us. His last sickness was attended with much suffering, yet endured with Christian patience and resignation. He peacefully fell asleep in Jesus at the home of his son, Eli, in Madison County, Ohio, May 10, 1870, at the advanced age of eighty-four years, ten months and four days. "Servant of God, well done."

Sixth Generation

41. Children of Angelo (5) — Eli (4) — Isaac (3)— Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Elizabeth (Killiam) Adams; residence Ohio.

44. (1) Sally, born about 1792; married, about 1810, Lismy Timmons.
45. (2) Angelo, born about 1794; married, about 1816, Mary Truman.

46. (3) Sophia, born about 1798; married Mr. _____ Christopher.
47. (4) Polly, born about 1801; married, about 1820, Handy Truitt.
48. (5) Nancy, born about 1804; married about 1822, Eli Crawford, born February 16, 1803, a son of James Crawford and her aunt, Elizabeth (42) Adams.
49. (6) Anna, born about 1807.
50. (7) Jacob, born in Harrison County, Kentucky, in 1811; died in Macon County, Illinois, in 1855. Married, about 1834, Sidney Eaches.
51. (8) Peter, born in Harrison County, Kentucky September 13, 1818; died March 28, 1895. Married, October 9, 1845, Sarah Jane Peck; she died May 17, 1865.

42. Children of Elizabeth (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and James Crawford; residence Xenia, Ohio.

52. (1) John Adams, born November 21, 1792; died September 26, 1875. Married about 1815 Manby _____; she died April 28, 1873.
53. (2) Elizabeth, born July 1, 1796; married John Gilroy of Ohio.
54. (3) Eli, born February 16, 1803; died in 1854. Married Nancy (48) Adams, daughter of his uncle, Angelo (41) Adams. They had eight children: (1) Bart; (2) John; (3) William; (4) Smith; (5) Adams; (6) Betsey; (7) Mary Jane; (8) Isaac, who married Artemisia, daughter of Angelo (45) Adams.
55. (4) Anny, born March 31, 1809; married, about 1830, James Gilroy, of Ohio.
56. (5) James, born April 15, 1812; died November 4, 1836.
57. (6) Sarah, born February 25, 1816; married Harrison Andrews. Their children were: (1) Henry; (2) James.
58. (7) William, born February 26, 1819; died August 26, 1856, at Ridgefarm, Illinois. Married in Cedarville, Ohio, 1840 or 1841, Elizabeth, daughter of Alexander and Mary (Crispen) Gaines of South Charleston, Clark County, Ohio. She was born May 5, 1817; died April 4, 1885 at Ridgefarm. Record of one child: Ann Maria, born September 21, 1842; died April 3, 1874.
59. (8) Robert, born August 17, 1823; died _____. Married _____. His son Eli, lived at Waynesfield, Ohio, in 1925.

43. Children of Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Elizabeth (Beeks) Adams; residence Xenia, Ohio.

60. (1) Christopher Beeks, born at Xenia, Ohio, May 12, 1811; died near Mattoon, Illinois, February 13, 1880, and is buried in Long Creek Cemetery. He married December 18, 1838, Sarah Gannaway, born March 20, 1819; died October 8, 1854, daughter of John Gannaway, who was a descendant of Robert Bruce of Scotland, through his grandmother, Rhoda Robertson, wife of his grandfather, Gregory Gannaway, of Virginia.
61. (2) Emerine, born at Xenia, Ohio, May 12, 1813; died _____. Married, March 8, 1832, William Davisson.
62. (3) William Walters, born December 14, 1814; died October 19, 1875. He was a physician in Clinton, Illinois. Married Martha Hendryx.
63. (4) Eli Henry, born April 12, 1817; died on a farm near Tradersville, Ohio. Was married three times but the names of none of his wives are known.
64. (5) Eliza Ann, born in Madison County, Ohio, February 14, 1820; died at Clinton, Illinois, July 18, 1897. Married October 4, 1838, Aaron Nagely, born March 26, 1817, in Clark County, Ohio; died at Clinton, Illinois, January 6, 1911.

The following is a newspaper account of the death and funeral services of Mrs. Eliza Ann (64) Adams Nagely of Clinton, Illinois.

Eliza Ann Adams Nagely

Mrs. Eliza A. Nagely passed away at 9:45 p. m., Sunday, July 18, 1897, of Bright's disease, aged 77 years.

Last November she was taken sick and for the last four weeks had been confined to her bed. During the last hours of her life she was in an unconscious state and death came peacefully in the presence of her family.

Those from abroad at her demise were: Thomas Bosler, Los Angeles, California; Amos Johnson, Ellenwood, Kansas, both sons-in-laws to the deceased; Mrs. William Henry Harrison Adams, Bloomington, Illinois, and Charles Nagely of Chicago.

Mrs. Nagely was born in Madison County, Ohio, February 14, 1820, being a daughter of Reverend Eli Adams, who was for fifty years a prominent Methodist minister in that state. On October 4, 1838, she was united in marriage to Aaron Nagely at the home of her parents.

With her husband she continued to reside in Ohio until 1849 when they came to Illinois and settled in Clinton, where they have since resided.

Mrs. Nagely was the mother of nine children, two of whom died in infancy and another, Mrs. William Phares, died February 18, 1896.

The names of the surviving children are William G. Nagely, Denver, Colorado; Mrs. Pearl Bosler, Los Angeles, California; Jennie and D. C. Nagely, Clinton and Charles

Nagely of Chicago, and Mrs. Amos Johnson of Ellenwood, Kansas.

Funeral services were held at the family residence at 3 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, July 20, Mrs. Jeanette Edmiston, having charge of the music.

Mrs. Nagely became a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1836, in her sixteenth year. In the summer of 1862 she was baptized by Elder Dudley Downes, and united with the Christian Church of Clinton.

She was loved by a large circle of old acquaintances who mourn her death.

65. (6) Jacob Smith, born December 14, 1822; died at Delaware, Ohio, February 26, 1906. Married, about 1844, Catherine Barton.

On the death of the Reverend Jacob Smith (65) Adams the following obituary notice was printed in church journals and local newspapers in the vicinity of Delaware, Ohio.

JACOB SMITH ADAMS

The Reverend Jacob Smith Adams, superannuated member of the Ohio Methodist Conference, died at his home in Delaware, Ohio, on February 26, 1906. He was eighty-four years old and was highly esteemed. Funeral services were held at the William Street Church under the direction of Dr. Mann and Dr. Barnes. They were assisted by Dr. J. H. Fitzwater, Dr. Homer Smith, Dr. Kemble and Dr. Idleman. Reverend Paul R. Hickok presented a tribute from the Minister's Association of Delaware, who attended in a body.

The exercises were closed at Mortuary Chapel by the impressive ritual of the I. O. O. F. Dr. Mann referred to the fact that there were but two ministers in the Ohio Conference older than Mr. Adams and that, with his own sainted father, he had toiled in those early years in the laying of the foundations of that great conference.

Dr. Barnes based his remarks upon the text, "Thine eyes shall see the King in His beauty."

66. (7) Parker Samuel, born December 4, 1826; died _____. Married Louisa Willard.

67. (8) James W., born May 2, 1833.

Seventh Generation

44. Children of Sally (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Lismy Timmons; residence unknown.

68. (1) Mary, born about 1811.
69. (2) George, born about 1813.

70. (3) David, born about 1816.
71. (4) Peter, born about 1820.

45. Children of Angelo (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Mary (Truman) Adams; residence unknown.

72. (1) Artemisia, born 1819; died 1897. Married first, Isaac Crawford, son of Eli and Nancy (Adams) Crawford—See 48 (5) second, Phillip Hanks.
73. (2) John, born about 1821; married Rebecca Brown.
74. (3) Jacob, born about 1823; married Eliza Anderson.
75. (4) Martin, born about 1826; married Sarah Mallery. Was living in Gads Hill, Missouri, in 1923.
76. (5) George
77. (6) Marion, born _____; married Elizabeth _____.

46. Children of Sophia (6)—Angelo (5)—(Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and _____ Christopher; residence unknown.

78. (1) Thomas
79. (2) William
80. (3) Mary Jane
81. (4) Martha

47. Children of Polly (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Handy Truitt; residence unknown.

82. (1) Mahala; married William Godfrey.
83. (2) William
84. (3) Dock, born about 1829.
85. (4) Maria, born about 1832; married James Andrews.
86. (5) Emma; married Mr. _____ Roberts.
87. (6) Mary Eliza, born about 1836.
88. (7) Caroline, twin of Mary Eliza.

48. Children of Nancy (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Eli Crawford (54); residence in Ohio.

89. (1) Isaac, born about 1823; married Artemisia (72)—(1)—Adams, daughter of his uncle, Angelo (45) Adams. Their children were: (1) Bartley; (2) Emma; (3) Mary Eliza and (4) Katie.
90. (2) Bartley.
91. (3) John
92. (4) William
93. (5) Smith
94. (6) Adams
95. (7) Mary Jane

96. (8) Betsey, born about 1840.

50. Children of Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Sidney (Eaches) Adams; residence Macon County, Illinois.

97. (1) Mary Elizabeth, born about 1836; married Mr. _____ Dubois. She died 1858.
98. (2) Hamilton Eaches, born 1841; married Maria Eaches.
99. (3) Eli Crawford, born September, 1843; married about 1870, Jennie Coon.
100. (4) Madison Abner, born February 25, 1845; married Mary Zellers.
101. (5) Henry Lewis, born March 12, 1847; married about 1875, Christine Russell.
102. (6) Calvin Wesley, born about 1850; married.

51. Children of Peter (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Sarah Jane (Peck) Adams; residence unknown.

103. (1) Mary Elizabeth, born March 26, 1848; died May 26, 1860.
104. (2) Angelo, born August 26, 1850; married Mary Ann Ater.
105. (3) David Santford, born January 12, 1853; married Lizzie F. Howell.
106. (4) (Unnamed son), born May 14, 1855; died August 11, 1855.

60. Children of Christopher Beeks (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Sarah (Gannaway) Adams; res. Illinois.

William Henry Harrison Adams, D. D.

107. (1) William Henry Harrison, born at Effingham, Effingham County, Illinois, March 30, 1840; died at Hot Springs, Arkansas, March 12, 1890, and is buried in Bloomington, Illinois. He was twice married, first, August 30, 1861 to Sarah E. Campbell, born September 7, 1837; died January 14, 1866; second, August 27, 1868, Hannah Westfall Concklin, born in Plymouth, Ohio, October 26, 1842; she resides at 1837 Greenleaf Avenue, Rogers Park, Illinois. At the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted as a private in Company A, 111th Illinois Volunteers. In 1863 he was promoted to First Lieutenant, later to Captain and then breveted a Major with a

Commission signed by President Lincoln, "for faithful and meritorious service." He commanded the Fourth Battery; drilled the first 200 colored troops mustered into the service; organized them into companies and placed them in their proper commands. He resigned July 4, 1865.

Shortly after his resignation from the army he entered Northwestern University at Evanston, Illinois, carrying the work of the college of letters and the Garrett Biblical Institute's course at the same time, receiving the degree of B. A. in June, 1870 and B. D. in October of the same year. Was pastor of the Methodist Church in Monticello, Illinois, and later at Clinton in the same state. In June, 1875, he was elected President of the Illinois Wesleyan University at Bloomington, Illinois; he entered upon the duties of that position in the September following.

The degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon him by Northwestern University in June, 1876.

As a preacher and platform speaker he had not many peers and fewer superiors. The great simplicity of his language, combined with richness and fullness of thought indicated something of his greatness, while his geniality and magnetism held his audience in his own grasp. This soon gave him great popularity as a public speaker and he received and answered many calls to deliver lectures and addresses; and to dedicate churches, especially in the great middle west.

Having contracted acute muscular rheumatism through exposure while serving in the army, this, combined with overwork, caused a breakdown and he resigned from the Presidency of the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1888. He was not content to remain idle when the "harvest was great and the laborers so few" and in the last year of his life he requested the conference to give him an appointment near his home city and was sent to Atlanta, Illinois, where the people were surprised and delighted at receiving him as their pastor.

A student of the class of 1880, Illinois Wesleyan University, Dr. Newall D. Gilbert, described him thus: "The face strong but benignant, its lines graven by experience and sacrifice and suffering and toil; the eye kindly, earnest, observant; the lips alligned to inflexible purpose, yet ever relaxing with welcome and good cheer; the forehead written over with aspiration and courage and hope, with clear and strong grasp of mind, with a catholicity of thought and sympathy. And filling the lines of that face, lighting the eye, moving the lip, animating the frame, is the great, loving, aspiring soul. The personal friend, to encourage or restrain, but ever ready to help; or in the classroom with genial humor pricking our large-blown bubbles of sophomoric philosophy or unfolding large views of truth in beautiful

perspective; in public address a power suffused on form and features, a power that raised him to the peerage of the best platform orators."

108. (2) Elizabeth Emerine, born March 24, 1843; died at Decatur, Illinois, February, 1918. Married, December 25, 1862, James A. Wilson.

109. (3) Eliza Ann, born November 24, 1846; died at Decatur, Illinois, August, 1921. Married, December 9, 1873, Thomas J. Kiser of Hammond, Illinois; he lives in Decatur, Illinois.

110. (4) Eli Parker, born July 28, 1851; married August 10, 1880, Emma Ross; he is an attorney in Little Falls, Minnesota. He graduated from the Illinois Wesleyan University; married at Pontiac, Illinois.

111. (5) John James, born September 6, 1853; died September 2, 1854.

61. Children of Emerine (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and William Davisson; residence unknown.

112. (1) Christopher, born about 1835; died in 1920. Married ____; had one daughter, Myrtle; she married Ralph Harrold and lives in South Charleston, Ohio.

113. (2) Sarah E., born in Madison County, Ohio, January 14, 1838; died at South Charleston, Ohio, July 4, 1925; married 1861, Thomas Woosley; he died in 1887.

114. (3) Eli, born about 1841; died in 1922.

62. Children of William Walters (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Martha (Hendryx) Adams; residence Clinton, Illinois.

115. (1) John Quincy, born about 1836; died 1890.

116. (2) James, born about 1838; was an editor.

117. (3) Eliza, born _____; married Mark Irvine.

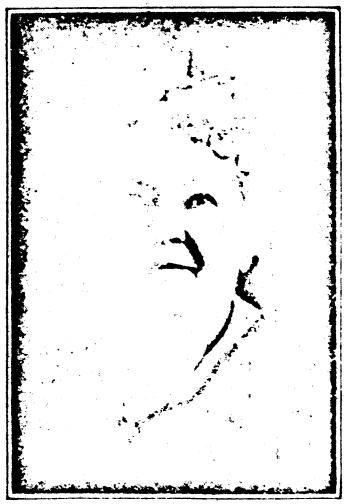
118. (4) Frances Elizabeth, born February 8, 1846 died in San Francisco, California, December 21, 1897, and is buried in San Fernando, California. Married, Thanksgiving Day, 1870, Jefferson Thomas Colliver, son of John and Matilda (Robinson) Colliver of Kentucky; he died in 1912 at San Fernando where for several years he had been a physician.

64. Children of Eliza Ann (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Aaron Nagely; residence Clinton, Illinois.

119. (1) Elizabeth, born in Madison County, Ohio, September 25, 1839; died at Maroa, Illinois. Married, October 7, 1855, William Phares. They had four children: (1) Edgar Clay, born at Clinton, Illinois, October 10, 1858; died August 13, 1906, at Sedalia, Missouri. He married, September 1, 1885, Mary Ann Craig of Kansas City, Missouri. (2) Emma, born July 16, 1867, on the home farm at Maroa, Illinois; married, October 16, 1902, J. Howard Ray. They reside in Decatur, Illinois. (3) Eliza, born at Maroa, Illinois, March 10, 1869; married, September 26, 1904, Clarence Sigler; residence 224 Prairie Avenue, Kenosha, Wisconsin. (4) William Gregg, born about 1872; married Arabelle Witt.

120. (2) Cyrus K., born January 10, 1842; died February 28, 1849.

121. (3) Mary Emerine, born at Mechanicsburg, Ohio, August 20, 1843; married, at Clinton, Illinois, September 5, 1860, Amos Johnson, born at Woodstock, Ohio, November 12, 1838. In 1925 they were living at 377 Loma Avenue, Long Beach, California. Their children were: (1) Charlie, born June 22, 1861; married, March 25, 1887, Jossie LaPort of Marshall, Oklahoma. (2) Clearchus, born at Clinton, Illinois, April 5, 1863. (3) Clarence W., born March 9, 1866; married, October 18, 1899, Ida Achatz of Great Bend, Kansas. (4) Clay, born January 11, 1868; married October 4, 1899, Emma Watson and they live in Ensign, Kansas. (5) Clyde B., born January 12, 1870; married, August 2, 1892, Flora McKinney of Eugene, Oregon. (6) Clara P., born at Clinton, Illinois, November 29, 1871; resides with her parents at 377 Loma Avenue, Long Beach, California. (7) DeWitt Clinton, born August, 1873; married September 6, 1904, Florence Lash. (8) Emma Josephine, born January 18, 1875; died July 2, 1884. (9) Eason Aaron, born November 15, 1880; married March 15, 1905, Minnie Furguson, resides at 4116 Dowlton Avenue, Los Angeles, California. (10) Pearl Bosler, born August 20, 1882, lives with her parents.



Permelia Almina (Nagely) Bosler
Granddaughter of Eli Adams of Snow Hill

122. (4) William Gregg, born in Ohio, August 20, 1844; died in Iowa, 1914.

123. (5) Amanda Malissa, born at Mechanicsburg, Ohio, May 6, 1846; died January, 1848.

124. (6) Permelia Almina, born May 6, 1848; died in San Francisco, California, July 22, 1920. Married at Clinton, Illinois, October 28, 1868, Thompson Bosler, Jr., born at Carlisle, Pennsylvania, March 2, 1845; died in San Francisco, California, January 11, 1916. They had the following children: (1) Lida

Mae, born at DeWitt, Illinois, July 13, 1870; she married, December 10, 1895, Calvin Hunter; residence 1020 Bush Street, San Francisco, California. (2) Maude Louise, born May 4, 1872; died at Farmer City, Illinois, May 2, 1874. (3) Ray Nagely, born at Farmer City, Illinois, July 30, 1876, is a Diamond Salesman and lives at 1020 Bush Street, San Francisco, California.

125. (7) DeWitt Clinton, born August 13, 1853; died at Clinton, Illinois, June 27, 1919.

126. (8) Charles E., born August 13, 1857; died at Chicago, Illinois, December 30, 1918. Married Ella Robbins and had two children: (1) Louise E., born in Chicago; married John W. Turner and they reside at Waukegan, Illinois. (2) Helen Eliza, born in Chicago and resides in that city with her mother, at 5758 Kenwood Avenue.

127. (9) Sarah Jane, born September 25, 1859, and died at Clinton, Illinois, May, 1920. Married Theodore Hull.

65. Children of Jacob Smith (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Catherine (Barton) Adams; residence Delaware, Ohio.

128. (1) Cyrus Barton, one of the best known penologists in the country, was born in Marion County, Ohio, July 4, 1862; died at St. Charles, Illinois, May 12, 1922 and is buried in Geneva, Illinois. Married Winifred Sheldon, who lives in Urbana, Illinois. He graduated from the Ohio Wesleyan University in 1884. He was a Lieutenant Colonel of the Fourth Regiment of Ohio Infantry in the Spanish-American War. After the war he served as Provost Marshal General of Porto Rico. Later was military instructor at the Ohio State University and in 1902 was appointed Superintendent of the Ohio State Reformatory at Lancaster, Ohio. In 1909 he became Superintendent of the St. Charles (Illinois) School for Boys, where he remained until 1913, when he accepted the position as Superintendent of the Massachusetts State Reformatory at Concord Junction, Massachusetts. Two years later he was appointed State Superintendent of Prisons of Massachusetts, which position he held until 1918, when he was again induced to take the superintendency of the St. Charles School for Boys by Gov. Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, and at this post he remained until his death, which occurred suddenly from angino pectoris. It is said of Colonel Adams, that he took a personal and fatherly interest in the training of every boy that came under his care.

The following account of the life and death of Colonel Cyrus Barton (128) Adams is taken from a Illinois newspaper.

Cyrus Barton Adams

The sudden death of Col. Cyrus Barton Adams about 3:20 o'clock on Friday afternoon, May 12, 1922, was not only a severe shock to the entire community but cast gloom over the big state institution, the St. Charles School for Boys, of which he was superintendent. To the 800 boys in the institution, Col. Adams was "The Big Father," and he took a personal interest in every lad sent to the school. Many a boy who never before had a chance in the world, after a few years of training under Col. Adams, has gone out into the world and made his mark in business and professions.

Col. Adams installed a system of military training in the school—and most of the boys have benefitted physically and mentally by this method of training.

Until Thursday evening, Col. Adams was apparently in the best of health. He complained that evening of illness and while in Geneva visited a drug store and got some pepsin. He found no relief during the night and at 3 o'clock in the morning his son-in-law, Dr. Carpenter, was called. His sickness was not considered at all serious, and the following day Dr. Carpenter was not called. Early in the afternoon Col. Adams was lying down, and asked Mrs. Adams to take a nap, as she had had but little rest the night before, and stated that he was feeling better. Shortly afterwards he had passed away. Physicians attributed his death to angino pectoris.

Two years ago Col. Adams was elected President of the American Prison Association. He was one of the best known penologists in this country.

Col. Adams was born in Marion County, Ohio, July 4, 1862. Was graduated from the Ohio Wesleyan University in 1884. At the outbreak of the Spanish-American War he went to Porto Rico as Lieut. Col. of the 4th Regiment of Ohio Infantry. Later was military instructor at Ohio University, until 1902 when he was appointed Superintendent of the Ohio State Reformatory at Lancaster, Ohio. In 1909 he was appointed by Governor Deneen, of Illinois, Superintendent of the St. Charles School, and he remained there until December 31, 1913, when he accepted the position of superintendent of the State Reformatory at Concord Junction, Massachusetts. After two years there he was appointed State Superintendent of Prisons of Massachusetts. February 20, 1918, Governor Frank O. Lowden, induced Col. Adams to return to St. Charles where he remained till his death.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Winifred Adams, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Frances Stimson, wife of Robert Stimson of Detroit, and Mrs. Catherine B. Carpenter, wife of Dr. Ralph

Carpenter of Geneva, and a brother, Ernest E. Adams of Chicago.

Services were held at the big gymnasium at the school at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Col. Adams's favorite hymns were sung by the entire gathering, "Rock of Ages," "Lead Kindly Light" and "Abide with Me." Also his favorite passage of scripture, the familiar 23d Psalm, was read. Dr. Abel White of Chicago, a personal friend, conducted the funeral, taking this Psalm as his text.

Burial at Oak Hill Cemetery, Geneva.

129. (2) Edwin F., born May 10, 1864; died December 27, 1908. Married Estella Harding.

MRS. EDWIN F. ADAMS

Estella Harding Adams was born in Clayton County, Iowa, April 29, 1870, and passed away at 10:30 a. m., April 9, 1908. The end came at the Riverside Sanitarium, Camanche, Iowa, where she had been taken only the day previous, with the hope that her health might be benefitted.

Mrs. Adams received her education at the State Normal School, Cedar Falls, Iowa, graduating in 1894. The year of her graduation she was elected teacher of mathematics in the Cedar Falls High School, which position she held until the close of 1902.

She was united in marriage with Edwin F. Adams, the present General Agent for Eastern Iowa of Ginn & Co., the well-known school book publishers.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams after their marriage made their home in Cedar Rapids. The funeral services were held at the family residence, 418 S. 6th St., Sunday, April 12, at 2 o'clock and were conducted by Rev. W. A. Pratt. Mrs. Adams was laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery. A number of relatives and friends from a distance were in attendance at the funeral. Besides her husband, Mrs. Adams leaves a little son, Edwin Barton Adams, aged six months.

—*Saturday Record*, Cedar Rapids, April 25, 1908.

EDWIN F. ADAMS

At four o'clock on Sunday morning, December 27, 1908, in St. Luke's Hospital in Cedar Rapids, occurred the death of Mr. Edwin F. Adams, general agent for Ginn & Co., a man well known in Delaware, Ohio, his former home and the present home of his mother, Mrs. Jacob Smith Adams. Death was due to valvular heart trouble, brought on by rheumatism. This ailment he first discovered six years ago, but with the reserve and courage which marked his whole life, he did not impart the information to his friends or family and it was only when he was dying at the hospital at Cedar Rapids that they knew that

he alone carried the knowledge that he could live but a very short time.

Mr. Adams was born in Madison County, Ohio, and was 44 years of age. Of his career the Des Moines Register-Leader thus speaks:

"His death will be a personal sorrow to many of the educators of the state as he was very popular and had a host of friends." The death of Mr. Adams followed but a short while after the death of his wife, who died last April. It seems untimely because he leaves a child a year and a half of age. This child has been adopted by his brother and wife in Chicago. Another brother is Col. Burton (Barton) Adams of Lancaster, Ohio, who is noted not only in the state but throughout the country.

Mr. Adams was a successful man yet his success was marked by a kindly reserve that won him a host of friends. There are many in Delaware who regret his passing.

—*From a Delaware, Ohio paper.*

130. (3) Ernest Erastus, married Lida Day. Lives at 7215 Coles Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Is a graduate of the Ohio Wesleyan University.

131. (4) Adah, married Mr. _____ Allbright and died May 12, 1877.

66. Child of Parker Samuel (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Louisa (Willard) Adams; residence Clark County, Ohio.

132. (1) Francis, born in Clark County, Ohio, about 1850; died July 29, 1916. Married about 1870.

Eighth Generation

72. Children of Artemisia (7)—Angelo (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Isaac Crawford (89); residence unknown.

133. (1) Bartley, married Mary Elizabeth Luker. They had eleven children: (1) Peter, married Emma Mariman; (2) Lalan. (3) Arthur. (4) Ollie, married William Ballinger of Shobonier, Illinois. (5) Altie Belle, married Jesse Anderson of Wichita, Kansas. (6) Mary Ella, married Acil Dowell. (7) Vernon. (8) Vivian. (9) Ermyle. (10) Marea. (11) Elois.

134. (2) Emma, married George Briggs. They had four children: (1) Mary Ann, married Anderson Luker. (2) Lilly Belle, married Peter Moxnes, resides at 422 Fairfax Avenue, Sioux Falls, South Dakota. (3) Harry. (4) William, married Ida Girard.

135. (3) Mary Eliza, married _____. One child, L. Belle, married first in 1892, William Hall; second in 1910, Lou Roberts; resides on R. F. D., 2, Cuba, Missouri.
136. (4) Katie

72. Child of Artemisia (7)—Angelo (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Phillip Hanks; residence unknown.

137. (5) Jesse Washington, born in 1860; married and lives at Cuba, Missouri.

73. Children of John (7)—Angelo (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Rebecca (Browne) Adams; residence unknown.

138. (1) Francis
139. (2) Mary
140. (3) Sidney

74. Children of Jacob (7)—Angelo (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Eliza (Anderson) Adams; residence Illinois.

141. (1) Samuel, lives in Effingham, Illinois.
142. (2) Charles, married Serepta Bronson and lives in Cerro Gordo, Illinois.
143. (3) William, married Lue Moore.
144. (4) Mary, married Lewis Bronson; resides at R. F. D. 2, Effingham, Illinois.
145. (5) Minnie, married Lafayette Bacon; resides at Cerro Gordo, Illinois.

75. Child of Martin (7)—Angelo (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Sarah (Mallery) Adams; residence Gads Hill, Missouri.

146. (1) Angelo.

77. Child of Marion (7)—Angelo (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Elizabeth (_____) Adams; residence unknown.

147. (1) Margaret, married _____.

98. Children of Hamilton Eaches (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Maria (Eaches) Adams; residence unknown.

148. (1) Rosecrans, married Emma Good.
149. (2) Alpha, married Charles Hudson and lives in Decatur, Illinois.

150. (3) Otto Calvin.
151. (4) Madison, married Miss _____ Miller.
152. (5) Florence, married _____ Pinckney.
153. (6) Frank, married Belle Morrus and lives at Decatur, Illinois.

99. Children of Eli Crawford (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Jennie (Coon) Adams; residence LaPlace, Illinois.

154. (1) Madison; married Maggie Wilson and resides at 4125 Scarret Street, Kansas City, Missouri.
155. (2) Frank; married Ellen Wilson and resides at Lohrville, Iowa.
156. (3) John; lives at Pekin, Illinois.
157. (4) Harry; married Belle _____ and resides at Casner, Illinois.
158. (5) Walter; lives at Fabyan, Alberta.
159. (6) Cloyd, married Carrie _____ and resides at LaPlace, Illinois.
160. (7) Robert, married Effie Griswold and resides at Hammond, Illinois.
161. (8) Arthur, lives in Lintner, Illinois.

100. Children of Madison Abner (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Mary (Zellers) Adams; residence Cerro Gordo, Illinois.

162. (1) Calvin Wesley, married, first, Celia Born; second, in 1925, Flora May Born. (See illustration on page 94.)
163. (2) Eli Otto.
164. (3) Olive, married Ras Boling and lives 904 Kirby Street, Lake Charles, Louisiana.
165. (4) Mary Sidney, married Satford Grove and resides at Cerro Gordo, Illinois.
166. (5) Ruth, married Harry Pensinger and resides at Cerro Gordo, Illinois.

101. Children of Henry Lewis (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Christine (Russell) Adams; residence unknown.

167. (1) Benjamin
168. (2) Madison
169. (3) Jesse
170. (4) Charles L., married Susie McElroy and resides at 1921 East Prairie Street, Decatur, Illinois.

102. Child of Calvin Wesley (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and _____ (_____) Adams; residence unknown.

171. (1) Hazel, married _____ Heard.

104. Children of Angelo (7)—Peter (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Mary Ann (Ater) Adams; residence Tolono, Illinois.

172. (1) Pearley Ward, married Lura _____.
173. (2) Thomas C.

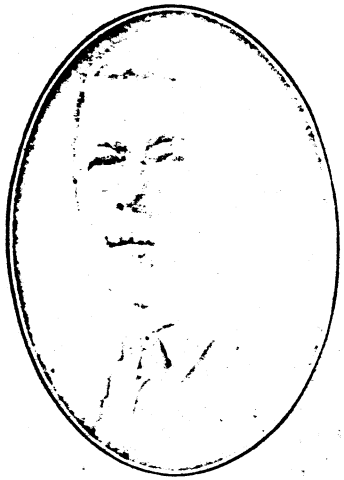
105. Children of David Santford (7)—Peter (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Lizzie F. (Howell) Adams; residence unknown.

174. (1) Carl
175. (2) Dean
176. (3) Pearl

107. Children of William Henry Harrison (7)—Christopher Beeks (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Sarah (Campbell) Adams; residence Bloomington, Illinois.

177. (1) Mary Adaline, born June 29, 1863; died July 8, 1864.
178. (2) Sarah, born January 5, 1866; died January 19, 1866.

107. Children of William Henry Harrison (7)—Christopher Beeks (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Hannah (Concklin) Adams; residence Bloomington, Illinois.



Dr. Charles Christopher Adams
Director New York State Museum,
University State of New York,
Albany

179. (3) Lulu May, born at Evanston, Illinois.

180. (4) Grace Greenwood, born in Monticello, Illinois. Is a graduate of the Illinois Wesleyan University.

181. (5) Charles Christopher, born at Clinton, Illinois, July 23, 1873; married at Lake Forest, Illinois, October 3, 1908, Alice Lithera Norton, daughter of Rev. Franklin Burroughs Norton, a descendant of Governor Thomas Mayhew of Edgarton, Massachusetts, Jabez Norton and of William and Mary Dyer of Boston and Newport.

Dr. Adams is a well-known Zoologist and is a graduate of Illinois Wesleyan University (B. S.) 1895, (honorary) Sc. D., 1920; M. S. Harvard, 1899; Fellow, University of Chicago, 1900-1903, Ph. D., 1908. Assistant in Biology, Illinois Wesleyan University, 1895-1896; Assistant State Entomologist, Illinois State Laboratory of Natural History, University of Illinois, 1896-1898; Assistant in Zoology, University of Chicago, summer of 1902; Curator University Museum, University of Michigan 1903-1906; Director, Cincinnati Society Natural History, and Curator of Museum, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1906-1907; Associate in Animal Ecology, University of Illinois 1908-1914; Assistant Professor of Forest Zoology, The New York State College of Forestry, Syracuse, New York 1914-1916; Professor Forest Zoology, 1916-1926; Director, Roosevelt Wild Life Forest Experiment Station, 1919-1926; Director, New York State Museum, University State of New York, Albany, New York, 1926.

He is a member of the following scientific and educational organizations: Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science; American Society of Naturalists; Association of American Geographers; Ecological Society of America; American Society of Mammalogists; American Fisheries Society; Society of American Foresters, and the American Association of University Professors.

Is engaged in the following scientific studies: Habitats, faunas, and associations dynamically and genetically considered; geographical distribution of the variations of the shells of the genus *Io*; ecological survey of the Isle Royale, Lake Superior; ecological successions of animals; centers of dispersal of the North Amercian fauna; ecology of prairie and forest invertebrates; general principles of animal ecology; ecology of inland environments; migration and evolution, its ecological dynamics; relation of wild life to forestry; ecology of the fish of Oneida Lake, New York; ecology of forest wild life, including fish and game; wild life of National and State parks; the relation of animal ecology to economics and sociology.

He initiated and organized, in 1919, the Roosevelt Wild Life Forest Experiment Station at Syracuse, New York.

Besides numerous scientific and educational papers and reports, Dr. Adams is the author of the book, "Guide to the Study of Animal Ecology," published by Macmillian Company, New York—1913. He resides at Albany, New York.

182. (6) Katherine Kellogg,[1] born at Clinton, Illinois; unmarried. Graduated from the University of Chicago; engaged in genealogical research for several years. She lives with her mother at 1837 Greenleaf Avenue, Rogers Park, Illinois.

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[1] To Miss Adams the compiler of this work is indebted for her most valued assistance.—James Taylor Adams.

108. Children of Elizabeth Emerine (7)—Christopher Beeks (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and James A. Wilson; residence Decatur, Illinois.

183. (1) Christopher Adams; married Caroline Weinbrecht of Terre Haute, Indiana. Resides at 876 North Edward Street, Decatur, Illinois. Has three children: (1) Lola; married Guy Tulpin and lives at 2523 East 74th Street, Chicago. (2) Paul married, April 15, 1922, Iva W. Barrows of Decatur, Illinois. (3) Frances.

184. (2) Etta, died in Mattoon, Illinois.

109. Child of Eliza Ann (7)—Christopher Beeks (6)—Eli (4)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Thomas Jefferson Kizer; residence Decatur, Illinois.

185. (1) Ethel, married Fred Benard and lives in Decatur, Illinois. They have three children: (1) Glenn; (2) Lucille; (3) Marjorie.

110. Child of Eli Parker (7)—Christopher Beeks (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Emma (Ross) Adams; residence Little Falls, Minnesota.

186. (1) Marc Ross, born October 21, 1887; married, December 14, 1912, Ella Doten. Is a banker in Deer River, Minnesota.

117. Children of Eliza (7)—William Walters (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Mark Irvine; residence unknown.

187. (1) Edward
188. (2) Frank

118. Children of Frances Elizabeth (7)—William Walters (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Jefferson Thomas Colliver; residence San Fernando, California.

189. (1) John Adams, born May 20, 1872; died August, 1917. Was a physician.

190. (2) M. Adella, married, June 5, 1906, Guy Van Scoyoc Shoup. Resides in Los Altos, California. They have one child, Frances, born December 2, 1909.

191. (3) Simon Robinson, married Ethel Carson about 1908. Lives in Seattle, Washington.

192. (4) Lida, lives in Los Altos, California.

128. Children of Cyrus Barton (7)—Jacob (6)—Eli (5) Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Winifred (Sheldon) Adams; residence St. Charles, Illinois.

193. (1) Frances, married Robert Stimson and they live in Detroit, Michigan. She is a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan University.

194. (2) Catherine Barton, graduate of the Ohio Wesleyan University. Married Dr. Ralph Carpenter and they live in Geneva, Illinois.

129. Child of Edwin F. (7)—Jacob Smith (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Estella (Harding) Adams; residence Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

195. (1) Edwin, is a university student and lives at 7015 Coles Avenue, Chicago.

131. Child of Adah (7)—Jacob Smith (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and _____ Allbright; residence unknown.

196. (1) Stella, lives in California.

132. Child of Francis (7)—Parker Samuel (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and _____ (_____) Adams; residence unknown.

197. (1) Maude E., lives in Oelwein, Iowa.

Ninth Generation

142. Children of Charles (8)—Jacob (7)—Angelo (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Serepta (Bronson) Adams; residence Cerro Gordo, Illinois.

198. (1) Ernest
199. (2) May, married Gus Veech.
200. (3) Wilbur
201. (4) Hubert
202. (5) Clarence

143. Children of William (8)—Jacob (7)—Angelo (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Lue (Moore) Adams; residence unknown.

204. (1) Jacob
205. (2) Nellie
206. (3) Flossie, married _____ Wood.

144. Children of Mary (8)—Jacob (7)—Angelo (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip

(1) Adams and Lewis Bronson; residence R. F. D. 2, Effingham, Illinois.

207. (1) Cora
208. (2) Maud
209. (3) Chester
210. (4) Ella
211. (5) Daisy
212. (6) Wayne

148. Children of Rosecrans (8)—Hamilton Eaches (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Emma (Good) Adams; residence unknown.

213. (1) Ora, married Thomas Lowry.
214. (2) Dora, married _____ Furre.
215. (3) Ethel
216. (4) Roy
217. (5) Florence

149. Children of Alpha (8)—Hamilton Eaches (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Charles Hudson; residence Decatur, Illinois.

218. (1) Earl
219. (2) Bertha

154. Children of Madison (8)—Eli Crawford (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Maggie (Wilson) Adams; residence 4125 Scarret Street, Kansas City, Missouri.

220. (1) Lois
221. (2) James
222. (3) Deane

159. Child of Cloyd (8)—Eli Crawford (7)—Jacob (6) Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Carrie (_____) Adams; residence La Place, Illinois.

223. (1) Wade Allen, born April 19, 1924.

162. Child of Calvin Wesley (8)—Madison Abner (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and _____ (Born) Adams; residence Cerro Gordo, Illinois.

224. (1) Mary Catherine

164. Child of Olive (8)—Madison Abner (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Ras Boling; residence 904 Kirby Street, Lake Charles, Louisana.

225. (1) Harold

166. Child of Ruth (8)—Madison Abner (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Harry Pensinger; residence Cerro Gordo, Illinois.

226. (1) Jacob

170. Child of Charles L. (8)—Henry Lewis (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Susie (McElroy) Adams; residence Decatur, Illinois.

227. (1) Ethel, married Guy Litterst in 1924.

172. Children of Pearley Ward (8)—Angelo (7)—Peter (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Lura (_____) Adams; residence Tolono, Illinois.

228. (1) Ward
229. (2) Mary Louise

181. Child of Charles Christopher (8)—William Henry Harrison (7)—Christopher Beeks (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4) Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Alice Lithera (Norton) Adams; residence Albany, New York.

230. (1) Harriet Dyer, born at Champaign, Illinois, February 9, 1910.

186. Children of Marc Ross (8)—Eli Parker (7)—Christopher Beeks (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) and Ella (Doten) Adams; residence Deer River, Minnesota.

231. (1) Eva Louise, born 1916.
232. (2) Marc Ross, born 1920.

193. Child of Frances (8)—Cyrus Barton (7)—Jacob Smith (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—

Phillip (1) Adams and Robert Stimson; residence Detroit, Michigan.

233. (1) Robert Lee

194. Child of Catherine Barton (8)—Cyrus Barton (7)—Jacob Smith (6)—Eli (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Dr. Ralph Carpenter; residence Geneva, Illinois.

234. (1) Barton Adams, born in Geneva, Illinois, 1902.

Tenth Generation

227. Child of Ethel (9)—Charles L. (8)—Henry Lewis (7)—Jacob (6)—Angelo (5)—Eli (4)—Isaac (3)—Thomas (2)—Phillip (1) Adams and Guy Litterst; residence unknown.

235. (1) Richard Wesley, born February 24, 1926.

Dr. Ralph Wesley Adams

BATH COUNTY KENTUCKY ORDER BOOK

Genealogists face the facts of life with each turn of a page. If the case following applies to a researcher he need not stop his endeavours. Bath County Inventory & Settlement Books and Deed books abound with further clues of this family. [Ed. D.A. Griffith]

BOOK PAGE	
C: 66	POLLY ADAMS to show cause why infant children should not be bound out. Dec. 1831.
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C: 73-4	BETSEY ADAMS' infant child WILLIAM, aged 8, ordered bound out to WILLIAM BRIDGES to apprenticeship of blacksmith. Feb. 1832.
C: 50	BETSEY ADAMS vs. ISAAC COOK as father of her bastard son. Feb. 1832
C:155	ELIZABETH ADAMS to show cause why infant children should not be bound out. Feb. 1834.
C:205	JAMES ADAMS infant son of ELIZABETH bound out to TALIAFERO YOUNG August 1835.
C:219	JAMES ADAMS, age 9, son of ELIZABETH, bound to IVERSON PERRY, apprentice as shoemaker. Nov. 1835
C.345	ELIZABETH ADAMS vs. JEREMIAH POWERS as father of bastard child. Case dismissed. April 1839.
D: 25	HIRAM ADAMS, infant child of ELIZABETH, age 17 on Dec. 14, 1841 bound to LEWIS HEDRICK to apprentice husbandry. Jan. 1842.

Inventory & Settlement Book 1, page 206, reveals: WILLIAM VICE, Gdn. of HIRAM ADAMS, has received no support or pay. 15 Feb. 1854

JOURNAL & LETTERS OF JOHN ADAMS, VERMONT, NEW YORK & ILLINOIS

--RUTH ROBINSON SEIBEL--

The following manuscript is found in the Clark McAdams Papers in the Archives of the Missouri Historical Society, Jefferson Memorial Building, St. Louis, Missouri. Mrs. Seibel has extracted, from its many pages, only such information she feels of genealogical interest. The material is partly from a Journal and partly from letters. "L" and a numeral identifies a "letter", JOURNAL entries are enclosed in brackets, [JOURNAL]. Should you wish information please refer to item or entry and page number.

JOHN ADAMS JOURNAL.....

My forefathers, according to what information I can obtain, were three sons who came from England to America by the names of John, Samuel and James Adams. James Adams, the second was from Sinisbury (Simsbury?) in the state of Connecticut, a bloomer by trade, and married Sarah Collander of Sheffield in the Bay State and had five sons and two daughters by the names of James, Joseph, Amos, Aaron and Daniel and Sarah and Polly, and his son James had six children; four sons and two daughters by the names of Martin, Jonathan, James and Charles and Thirsey and Claricy. The second son, Jonathan was born in Canan in the state of Connecticut. He married Sally Daniels of Danvil in the state of Vermont. She was the daughter of Samuel Daniels. He had before the year of 1817, sixteen children, eleven sons and five daughters. The names of the sons were James C., Noble, John, Robert G., Hiram, William S., Orlean M., Worthington P., Jonas P., Washington F., and Charles. Jonas P. died while young. The daughters names were Minerva, Permelia, Sally M., and the other two died young.

I am the third son and was born in the town of St. Johnsbury, County of Calledonia in the state of Vermont. When I was about six weeks old my father removed from St. Johnsbury to the town of Springfield, County of Winser near Connecticut River where he remained until I was about eleven years of age.

When I was between ten and eleven my Uncle Randol, who then lived near my father, was going to remove to the town of Rockingham and as my Uncle and Aunt appeared to set considerable store by me, requested of my father to let me go with them...I went with my Uncle to Rockingham. I lived with them about five months enjoying myself very well in the family which consisted of my Uncle Aunt and three daughters.

My father having sold his farm in Springfield was again lonesome to go with the rest of the family to the west where my father was resolved to remove and see if he could not find a better country of land and warmer climate.

Twenty first day of February in the year of 1807 commenced our journey. On that day we traveled about thirty miles passing over the Green Mountains and put up at Green's Inn...arrived at Canullus (N.Y.) where we made a stand and on the 14th day of March in the year of 1807 my father moved on the farm he had purchased in the town of Brutus, County of Cayuga, State of N.Y.

That spring being the year of 1810 my father sold his farm or rather bargained it away but the purchaser not fulfilling the contract, he still kept possession of it. That fall my father bought 400 acres of land of JOHN D. COE at the rate of $5 dollars an acre. December 10, 1810 I went to reside with Mr. E. & H. HILLS in the Village of Auburn to assist them abount tending their store. (after a month returned home and resumed schooling.) After this I remained at home until the 12th of June in the year 1811. Then my father concluded it was best for me to learn a trade as I was not of a strong enough constitution to labor on a farm. I then went to live with DANIEL POWELL of Camellus, County of Onondaga to learn the carding and clothing business.

January the 25th, 1812 which was my birthday and made me sixteen years of age, I received the unpleasant news of the loss of a brother aged about thirteen months. December 10, 1812 I went to Manervias wedding. I requested of my parents to let me go again to seek my fortune away from home altho I had so poor luck the first time.

My parents accordingly gave their consent and Friday, March 18 (1814) I commenced my journey... Friday, April 1, 1814 I commenced work.

Letter 1 (hereafter L.1), from my Father at Brutus, April. 24, 1814
Dear Son: Your brother James has got home from the army...John Adams, Cozenovia.

L.2--from Nobel A. of Brutus, May 25, 1814. mentions Court suit, "Daddy has employed Mr. Richardson to take charge of the suit."

L.3--from Robert G. Adams of Brutus, May 15, 1814. ...Uncle John returned last week for the remainder of his goods and informs that they arrived in safety at Leroy and they are like to do well but the girls are some homesick...sad news ASAEL LEES losing his wife who died Monday last week.

L.4--from HIRAM ADAMS, of Burtus, May 15, 1814..."Mr. ELDRIGE has got our house framed."

L.5--from MINERVA ADAMS of Burtus, June 12, 1814..."We expect JOHN BOWEN to be married tonight or soon to Miss POLLY FREEMAN. MARTIN BOWEN is married to SALLY SIMPSON and JAMES steps up to MARY DYGET once in a while, I believe... NOBLE is pretty steady this season as to ARSENATH SMITH has not come yet. ROBERT works like a man and beginning to shave and I expect he will go courting next. As for HIRAM he is a very good boy. The rest of your brothers and sisters are well. HANNAH HICKS is well and...

L.6--from my Father, of Brutus, June 17, 1814, describes "affair of Mr. POWELL suing us."

L.7--from NOBEL ADAMS, July 3, 1814. With supreme felicity I now make these lines a messenger to inform you of our good health except our mother who was put to bed with a fine son July 1 but we hope she will soon recover and be able to see to the affairs about the house... Robert and I went to camp meeting in Sipio... Uncle JOHN DANIELS was here... Uncle STEPHEN DANIEL'S family are all well. Uncle DOW is here with two of his boys, SMITH and ADAMS and have got a shop most completed in Jerico.

L.8--from JAMES C. ADAMS of Brutus, July 3, 1814. Robert has wrote three lines and lain down and I am going to finish this letter. BOD and HUGH work very well this summer, HUGH has got

to be older than his father but expects to grow younger as he grows older. PARMELIA helps ARSENATH do the work and takes care of the baby ORLEAN, and is as full of the devil as ever ...PURCHES and they two keep up a row all of the time. SALLY whines about the house doing as she pleases, WASHINGTON is as full of mischief as his skin can hold. SMITH is up and cramming down the bread and butter...I have been to work in Jerico for Uncle DOW at his shop ...next week I expect to go digging plaster for father and DOCT. BEEMAN.

L.9--from ROBERT G. ADAMS of Brutus, July 15, 1814. JAMES made him a brick yard and is making business smoke down in Jerico. Uncle DOW has got up his shop and returned to Vermont and the boys are at work. We have got up our new house and the masons are laying the chimney a and the joiners have got it partly covered... Last Sunday AARON HICKS and SALLY were married... Mr. POWELL still resides in Camillus and says if he does not win the case, he is able to loose it.

L.10--from NOBEL ADAMS of Brutus, August 24, 1814... SMITH DOW is here sick but getting better fast. Uncle STEPHENS family are all well... I calculate to have come to see you next Saturday had I not been ordered to go on to the lines. We have had two heavy drafts in this division, the first I stood and drew clear. JAMES was drafted but was cleared by the colonel by his being out last year. The next draft I know well would take me, there being twenty-four privates required out of this company and there was but thirteen that had not been and I would rather go in the required company than the militia and enlisted into it on the 18th, it being general training day and one ordered to go into the lines to rendezvouz at Aubern next Thursday with the artillery and grenadiers...JAMES was drafted again but expects to get cleared again, if not he will go when he gets his brick kiln burnt.

[JOURNAL---About this time the militia were called for in Cozenovia to go to Sacket's Harbor. I among the rest received orders to go but I chose to run the risk of being drafted than to go and it was well for me that I formed that resolution for I should have run a great risk of being sick as many were and many died of fever and I never was fined altho I was warned to court martial Spt. 18th. I assumed the long contemplated pleasing task of paying a visit to my kindred...NOBLE was gone into the service while I was at home. I road to Arrelious to see TRUMAN MASON...proceeded on to Uncle PURCHASES where I spent the afternoon and night at Mr. THORINGTONS...]

L.11--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, Oct. 9, 1814...next Wednesday after you left home, JAMES started for Buffalo in company with Capt. REMINTON and RHODA DANIELS and arrived at Leroy the next Friday morning and found the family enjoying good health...on Sunday Mr. REMINGTON and RHODA DANIELS joined their hands in wedlock bands.

L.12--from NOBLE ADAMS to my Father, Port Erie, 28th of Sept. 1814. Worthy Parents: (no family identifications, account of "very hard time since we crossed into Canada".)

L.13--from NOBLE ADAMS, Nov. 30, 1814, to Kind Brother...We left his Majesty's Dominions on the 22nd of October and on the 29th we are a roasted ox and received thanks of General PORTER for our bravery in rescuing the army at Erie. Then marched to Betavia and lay there until the 1st of November when we were honorable discharged without our pay... RHODA and ARSENATH are married and begun to keep house and are doing well. MARY DYGET is at Mr. SHAW'S, PATTY

RANDOL is at our house singing and spinning. HAZEL ELDREDGE and CHARLES ROOT are not married yet but I expect they will be soon. WM. BROWN has left NANCY and is married to POLLY BEERS. JOHN SHELDON is dead and was buried before I got home, and soon expect DANIEL will get married and keep house for his Father...JULIUS JOHNSON keeps school in Jerico. Mr. .... SPINKS and Mr. EVERITT keeps school in the new schoolhouse at the old road.

L.14--from JAMES C. ADAMS, Cincinnati, Nov. 9th, 1814, describes trip to Canada, to Chautauqua Lake, to Pittsburg, to Wheeling in Virginia, to Marietta O., to Limeston in Ky. and from there to "this place". "I have spent all my money but thirty cents...John I want you to write me and let me know how I can get factory clothes at the factory at this time. The People have almost fell in love with my suit of clothes since I came into this state and I have conversed with some of the principal inhabitants in the town and they say that factory clothes would sell well here. They have had some of it brought into town and sold at the rate of three dollars and a half and four dollars and four and a half. I think if I could get a considerable quantity of it I could do well by it...Sattenet I think is what you call the cloth.

L.15--from ROBERT G. ADAMS of Brutus, Dec. 25, 1814...NOBEL has begun to teach school in this district in the school house near Mr. SHAWS...NECECIAH ELDREDGE was married to Miss FANNY LACY last Saturday and it is expected that DANIEL SHELDON is going to be married this winter and so on, etc., and in fact it begins to stand a feller in hand to look about him...

L.16--to Dear Son, January 11, 1815, discussion of trial set for January term...Fail not to be here on any account...Come and put your shoulder to the wheel and we will try to get out of this black hole...JONATHAN ADAMS

[JOURNAL---description of visit to family at Brutus, Feb. 15 "we received the joyful tidings of peace between America and Great Britain."]

L.17--from my Father at Brutus, March 12, 1815,...MINERVIA had a fine daughter born yesterday.

L.18--from ROBERT G. ADAMS of Brutus, March 25, 1815...no news to write...

L.19--from James C. ADAMS of Brutus, April 19, 1815, expressing great uncertainty as to his plans...JOHN SAWYER of Auburn killed a Mr. ROOD and ran away not long since.

L.20--from MINERVIA and JACOB SHELDON, April 19, 1815...that we have a daughter annexed to our family... she was four weeks old yesterday...wish you to write the first opportunity and send a name for our girl...

L.21--from ROBERT G. ADAMS to Dear Brother...NOBLE has now gone to the west to look for a farm for himself to settle on and have a home of his own, SMITH, I think, most likely will come home tomorrow to live for the purpose of helping HIRAM and I about carrying on the farm as daddy is not able to assist about the work much... SMITH DOWS wife has got the fever and ague and he has joined the Free Masons and is not much better off I suppose.

L.22--from my Father at Brutus, April 19, 1815, affectionate greetings...

L.23--from HIRAM ADAMS, April 23, 1815...SMITH has come home to live...Mr. ISAAC DOW lives in the old house and helps us some too. We made twenty-one hundred brooms the last season and expect to make as many or more this...news...

L.24--from ROBERT G. ADAMS of Brutus, April 26, 1815...nothing uncommon to inform you only Mrs.

GLESON was delivered of a pair of twins last Saturday, a son and a daughter, doing well...
L.25--from JAMES C. ADAMS of Brutus, April 26th, 1815...and from ROBERT G. "greetings".
L.26--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, "greetings"
L.27--from WILLIAM S. ADAMS, of Brutus, April 30th...going to school to JULIUS JOHNSON. I expect his school will be out this present month. I talk of going home this spring to live and learn to weave factory cloth, but am not certain...Mr. Sheldon has got me a new suit of clothes.
L.28--from my Father, April 30, 1815, to son. JoNATHAN.
L.29--from WILLIAM S. ADAMS, May 1, 1815...have left Mr. SHELDON and come home to work.
[JOURNAL---I continued to work with E.STARR & CO. until May 13.]

L.30--from my Father of Brutus, July 23, 1815...Have not recieved any information since you left for Canada.
L.31--from NOBLE ADAMS of Brutus, July 23, 1815..."I calculated to have returned to the Genesee County but it has become necessary to settle on our land in Starlin in order to hold it. I have been to work for Mr. BOWIN until last week when I went to Serlen(?) and made a temporary settlement on a hundred acres of land which I expect to have if I can secure the title, but I shall do no more at present".
L.32--from Cazenovia, July 23, 1815, WILLIAM JOHNSON- "wish you would come and work for us... the boys are here now that were when you was. JOHN BATES is dead. He died soon after you left here."
[JOURNAL---I did not comply with Mr. JOHNSON's request of returning...While I resided with Mr. MATHEWS I resolved by the grace of God to change my former behavior and try to serve the Lord. I accordingly was baptised by the Rev. WHITEHEAD and received a member of the Methodist Society but I have to lament that I did not improve the opportunity and blessings I there enjoyed and live more to the glory of God... in January I received two more letters... one from my father, and one from ROBERT G. ADAMS.]

L.33--from my father...JAMES C. ADAMS is gone to Vermont and is expected home in about four weeks. NOBLE is at work in Sterling on Lake Ontario and is expected home every hour... MINERVA and family are well...HIRAM is well and sits reading. WILLIAM S. ADAMS wants to write but has not had time. PERMELIA is well. ORLEAN was hurt...well except disfiguring one eye a little. WORTHINGTON has a touch of the fever and ague. SALLY is well. FRANKLIN W....has got well. CHARLES is well. Your Uncle DOW, ISAAC DOW and your friend Mr. BROWN have all had the fever...NOBEL got home last night and is well. LUCY DANIELS is at our house...SYLVESTER SHELDON almost cut off his left foot with an ax. NANCY FREEMAN is married to ISAAC LACY, etc. MR. JOHN BARLOW just arrived here from Port Megs.
L.34--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, gave similar information, added "As to NOBLE or JAMES going to Canada this winter is uncertain. Father has given his land in Starlen to JAMES and NOBLE. DANIEL SHELDON keeps up a correspondence with Miss ELISA MERIT and it is expected that they will be married this winter. ADAM DOW goes to see POLLY MORFET.

[JOURNAL---When my time was expired...following agreement; This is to certify that I, ABNER MATHEWS, do agree to give JOHN ADAMS two hundred and fifty dollars for one years work, to let him have time to get home and for meetings, etc., to begin January 13, 1816. A.MATHEWS. A visit home, then returned to fulfill engagement with Mr. MATHEWS.]

L.35--from NOBEL ADAMS, April 27, 1816

L.36--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, June 23 1816...UNCLE RANDON and family live in the house formerly occupied by RICHARD BENNETT but is now sold to a hatter and UNCLE RANDOL has bought a piece of land of Mr. SIMMONS where he intends putting up a shop and working at his trade.

L.37--from my Aunt RANDOL, June 24, 1816,...I remain your aunt, DEBORAH RANDOL.

L.38--from his Father, July 12, 1816..DAVID DOW has come to this country from Lake Mumphignagg and the northwest part of Vermont...Your Uncle MARTIN ADAMS has returned home to Vermont. Your Uncle COLLENDER ADAMS, I understand, has moved to his earthy paradise in the State of Ohio.

L.39--from my father...your uncle MARTIN has returned home to Vermont...

L.40--from NOBLE ADAMS, August 20, 1816...MR. ABNER BROW lost a child a few days ago. STEPHEN FRESEMA died by a few days since at Camillus very suddenly... BENJAMIN COLVIN's life is dispared of now...As to politics there is some disturbance at present about high salaries. If you have no newspapers perhaps you do not know the proceedings of our Yankee Congress last session. On the 20th of March last they passed a law to augment their wages and insisted of six dollars per day. They voted themselves $1,500.00 salary which brings them fifteen dol= lars per day. ENOS I-THROOP from Auburn was in favor of it and as soon as the people of this district heard of it they met and reconsidered his nomination for the ensuing election and put in one of the opposite party and he finding how things operated, on his return resigned and would not serve for the other session for which he was elected and now they are about filling his vacancy and election begins next Tuesday. The divisions now instead of Federal and Republican are Throops party or faction and the people.
The Faction party consists principally of lawyers and merchants and have used every means and intrigue to deceive the people and they have had so good success that there is danger of their point if the others do not exert themselves to the utmost... Meetings are held almost every day and nights and many young people are hopefully converted viz. SUSAN REMINGTON, PERMELIA DANIELS and your sister PERMELIA, LUCRETIA and HANNAH SHAW, POLLY WATSON, POLLY MORFET, POLLY BOWIN, DEBORHAN ACKERSON, Mrs. BEEMAN and HANNAH HICKS seems to be about the joining the band. ESTHER LAMPHERE what lives at Mr. REMINGTON's is also among them.

L.41--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, Sept. 24, 1816...crops look dubious...

L.42--my Father, Sept 23, 1816--great satisfaction to contemplate on your views of spiritual

L.43--from HIRAM ADAMS, Nov. 25, 1816...NOBLE is at home...He has sold his land in Sterlin for $800.00, one hundred down and seven next June and is at a stand which way to turn his attention to next. ROBERT continues steady in business and in mind as so does PERMELIA, sober and industrious.
--from PERMELIA ADAMS, Dec. 1, 1816, concerning religion...I remain your sincere friend and sister.

and temporal things...your Uncle STEVEN's family arrived here last Saturday from Danvil in Vermont...a lamentable story concerning the crops in that country from whence they came.

L.43--from HIRAM ADAMS, Nove 25, 1816...

L.44--from PERMELIA ADAMS, Dec. 1, 1816, discussion of religious thought in area...

L.45--from James C. ADAMS, Dec. 1, 1816...no snow on the ground. John, one word, take good care of your money...

L.46--from WILLIAM S. ADAMS, Dec. 1, 1816...NOBLE is making up his brooms. JAMES is about here playing up gentleman. We have not got through with our work yet so I can go to school. NOBLE DANIELS is to work for Cap. REMINGTON..He left their folks well. LUCY was married just before he came away to MARK WHICHER...

[JOURNAL---I packed up my chothes and such articles as I could conveniently carry on my back and the 19th of February 1817 I once more commenced a journey for home, after taking an affectionate farewell of the benevolent family of Mr. MATTHEWS and my friends... I arrived in Aubern in eight days from Mr. MATTHEWS...came across JAMES C. ADAMS and some others. Rode with them and found the family all in the land of living. NOBLE was married a few weeks previous to my arrival to Miss LUCY ARNOLD. Cazenovia, an agreement to work for CHANDLER & JOHNSON for one year for 22 dollars per month, board and wash. The aforesaid wages one half in cash and the remainder in cloth, to have cloths at the wholesale price provided he takes a whole piece. or pieces, dated March 11, 1817.]

L.47--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, March 15, 1817, unable to read

L.48--from Miss ---?

L.49--from JAMES C. ADAMS of Brutus, May 4, 1817, to JOHN-CASENOVIA...

L.50--From ROBERT G. ADAMS of Brutus, May 4, 1817...Miss SUSAN BULLARD (BASSETT) (she was called) and Mr. DANIEL LACY were married not long since.

L.51--from my Father, May 11, 1817, good advice...

L.52--from JAMES C. ADAMS, May 11, 1817, NOBLE has bought him a farm from JAMES C. ADAMS.

L.53--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, June 8, 1817, ...frost very severe the last night in May...

L.54--from my Father, June 27, 1817, advice...every truly good man is a Mason but every Mason is not a good man.

L.55--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, June 27, 1817, chiefly concerning religious life in the community.

L.56--from ABNER MATHEWS, Canada, Burford, June 25, 1817,...disappointed in my expectations of receiving money to have paid you off, etc.,.

L.57--from ROBERT DIER PARRIS, 24th June 1817...

L.58--from SAMUEL J. STEVENS, of Brutus, July 6, 1817

L.59--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, July 20, 1817

L.60--from NOBLE ADAMS, of Brutus, July 20, 1817

L.61--from Father, " "

L.62--from Miss HANNAH HOCAY of Brutus, July 19, 1817 [Ed.Note: We think this should be HICKS.]

L.63--from SAMUEL J. STEVENS of Brutus, Aug. 19, 1817...suppose I could get about sixteen dollars per month, but I will work cheaper if I can engage a year and have a steady home. My time will be out with NOBLE about the first of the year...

L.64--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, August 17, 1817...
L.65 " Sept. 11, 1817...
L.66 " Sept. 28, 1817...I arrived safe home from Cazenovia a little after sunset and found Uncle JOHN DANIELS and wife at our house on their way to Vermont...I shall have an opportunity to send some cloth out there when Uncle JOHN returns from Vermont...LORENZO DOW preached here according to his appointment to a very numerous assembly which was made no small stir among the people.L.67--
L.67--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, of Brutus Nov. 30, 1817...Uncle JOHN DANIELS and wife who have been to Vermont have returned...JAMES has about concluded to teach school here this winter...
L.68--from Miss HANNAH HOCAY...[Editor's believe this to be HICKS]
L.69--from my Father in Brutus, Dec. 14, 1817. We are fixing our school like that in Springfield. JAMES C. ADAMS talks of teaching the school. NOBLE and family are well and sticks close to business. JACOB SHELDON and family are well. ROBERT does well, HIRAM is steady. SMITH works well. I want him to cultivate good nature a little more. PERMELIA turns the spinning wheel. ORLEAN and PURCHES, I hope, will do well, SALLY, WASHINGTON and CHARLES are a skipping about.
L.70--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, Dec. 14
L.71--from HIRAM ADAMS, Dec. 14, 1817
L.72--from Miss HANNAH HOCAY, unable to read...
L.73--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, to Dear Brother, Brutus, Mar. 1, 1818...I have not as yet been prosperous in collecting money for you...They say that they think you will do well to go to Illinois...
L.74--from my Father...discussion of proposed removal...
L.75--from ROBERT G. ADAMS, Mar. 3, 1818...I have not collected any money for you...I have mentioned it to the persons who owe you but they all decline paying you anything at present... no love or murder to communicate...DESIRE BENNETT was married last week to Mr. GIBSON of Camillus and also that the old school house was consumed by fire last Sat. night.
[JOURNAL---resolved to travel some the ensuing year...my employers paid me off and saw cause to give me a recommend. March 19, 1818 I took the stage...spent ten or twelve days at home...resolved to direct my course first for Canada...commenced journey 31st of March on foot...remained at Ft. Meigs two days with my Uncle COLLANDER ADAMS...arrived at the south settlement of Ohio State...the 10th of May...next day I arrived at Troy...at head of navigation on the big Miami...After remaining one day I went on board a boat loaded with flour bound for New Orleans. I was to work my passage down that and the Ohio River as far as Ihawana town. (Boat sank in five feet of water. After it was raised he decided to choose risk of traveling by land rather than water.) Went to Union, crossed Stillwater, to Eaton, thence to Brookville in Indiana, down the White Water River to Harrison, crossed the big Miami into Ohio State again...stopped a number of places to make inquiries respecting setting up of my business. 10 miles from Cincinnati at Mt. Pleasant stopped two days with Mr. WEBER...concluded to see Illinois first. Went to Cincinnati, took short view of that place, hired passage on boat to Shawneetown. In 6 days we arrived...expected to find some old acquaintances. The families of LEMUEL, ABYAH, and HENRY LEES but unfortunately I missed of ABYAH LEES family and the others had commenced their journey

for the Cascaca (Kaskaskia) River where Carlyle was afterwards established. I followed and on second day overtook them...concluded to travel with them and May 30, 1818 we arrived at their destined place of residence...I went to St. Louis in company of HENRY LEE where we met with JOSEPH REMINGTON and all of us entered into co-partnership, putting in twenty dollars each, making a sum of sixty dollars for the purpose of buying cattle and killing and selling beef in the St. Louis market. After hiring a house and buying tools returned to where LEMUEL LEE lived to get HENRY LEE's family while LEE and REMINGTON commenced the new business but JOSEPH REMINGTON arrived from St. Louis and said he and Lee had concluded to give up the business and because of being unacquainted with it and LEE wished his family not to proceed further. After some traveling about, returned home and on August 19 was united in wedlock with HANNAH ...]

L.76--from my Mother, Sept. 28, 1818...farewell...
L.77--from my wife in Brutus, Nov. 6, 1818., delivered by friends...
L.78--from my wife in Brutus, March 20, 1819...delivered in Carlyle, Illinos...AARON has sold his farm since I received your letter (March 11) and I have concluded to come to that country with him.

(JOURNAL---I was agreeable surprised to receive information that AARON HICKS and family, with my wife and some young men of my acquaintance had arrived at LEMUEL LEE's. June 13, 1820, JOHN A. ADAMS was born my wife. May 28, 1824 we had a little daughter annexed to our family. We named her HARRIET ELIZA. The 9th of February 1826 we had another son annexed to our family. We named him DEWET CLINTON...I received letters from W. ADAMS who had gone to Michigan territory and had purchased a piece of land. Likewise I received letters from ORLEAN M. who had returned from West Point Academy to our parents on account of poor health and commenced study of physics and law. (But after Feb. 9) the ensuing spring...learned ROBERT was married and took charge of our fathers farm and likewise the marriage of HIRAM and PERMELIA to R. RICH who with HIRAM carried on the carding machine making, manufaturing in Aubern. PURCHASE (after law) ADAMS had been teaching school some and took a route for the western country but missed his way and after passing through Philadelphia, Baltimore, New York, etc., finally arrived again at his father's house. SALLY M. ADAMS had grown to be a smart girl of 16 teaching, reading, writing, etc. at school and attendant dancing school etc. MINEVIA and her husband had removed to Aubern where JACOB SHELDON became jail keeper and NOBLE ADAMS, who had had the misfortune to lose his farm, too SHELDON's farm...

The spring of 1827 I rebuilt my inclined wheel...About the middle of June I concluded to rent a house of Mrs. STEPHENSON and remove, our house being very unpleasant owing to its nearness to the mill and carding machines, oil press, etc...The 14th of December 1827 we had a daughter annexed to our family and called her MARY JANE...in July I went with my wife on a visit to our connections and friends in Green County, and found our friends enjoying good health and prosperity... Quite a revival of religion took place in Edwardsville during the spring and many embraced the offers held out by the Holy Scriptures and found peace and comfort through the merit of the Redeemer. A Baptist church was established and myself and wife became members...I sold my hulling utensils and mill that fall to GEORGE W. PUTNAM not finding the business profitable and concluded I had as much other business as I could conveniently attend to.]

L.79--from my Father, Feb. 13, 1828...To My Dear Children in a distant land...Your brother James has had the rheumatism...not able to labor and lived at home the fall and winter and is poor. NOBLE and family are well and live on J. SHELDON'S farm upon shares while Sheldo keeps the jail in Auburn...ROBERT and family are well. ORLEAN has been living at Auburn studying law but is now teaching our school. We heard from SMITH last summer...he had purchased some land in the town of Oakland, Oakland County about 30 miles from Detroit... PERMELIA has married RUSSELL RICH and lives in Aubern. He makes carding machines... HIRAM works with MR.MINER at Jordan the great machine studer...STEVENS works for HIRAM ADAMS at eight dollars a month to learn the trade.. SALLY M. lives with MINERVA...WASHINGTON F. has been to work in a printing office but is now going to school this winter. Your gold old AUNT RANDOL lives with us and sends a thousand of love to you all. Your mother Hicks is well and lives by herself in her own house. WASHINGTON F. ADAMS has boarded with her a part of the winter and cut her wood and done her chores but now STEPHEN DOW lives with her and doth the same and goes to school... ZACHERIAH HICKS has had a severe turn of the bilious fever and likewise his wife but have go out again. GREEN HICKS and family are well, CAPT. BERRY and LEES family are well. ELISHA SHELDON m. to HANNAH SENNETT. The former husband of SORRY SENNETT, WM. ARNOLD to Miss MERRIT and moved to the west. Died lately. AMANDA JILLET suddenly who married SAMUEL STEVENS... HIRAM ADAMS is helping building a new constructed window sash machine to go by water, the old one which Miner built doth great business, the patent rights sell high. MARTIN, BOWEN and BROWN bought about four counties $1,500000 and have established a factory at Dryden near the head of Cayuga Lake and do good business. HIRAM has bought a lot of land with water privileges at Oswaga Village and intends setting up his business there. JONATHAN ADAMS

L.80, addressed to JOHN ADAMS, Edwardsville, Ill., March 11, 1828, concerning castor oil business...Esquire RUFUS SHELDON died yesterday..,be buried tomorrow. BETSEY, HIRAM ADAMS wife is at our house now with her little boy, OSCAR, to pay us a visit...their boy is 17 mo. old. PERMELIA, RICH'S wife, has got a daughter. They call her MARY. She is about 7 mo. old...

(JOURNAL---In Dec. I went to Vandalia during the session of the Legislature and had a bill introduced to authorize the governor to appoint commissioners to take acknowledgement of power of attorney for transfers of any kind of forfeited land stock which passed the lower house but was lost in the Senate.)

L.81--from NOBEL A., Brutus, Nov. 2, 1828. It is with the most painful sensations that I take my pen to inform you that our kind and affectionate father is no more. It pleased an allwise God to change his countenance and send him away. He departed this life on the 29th day of October at 11 o'clock in the evening in possession of his senses and mental faculties to the last moment...The funeral was attended at the Presbyterian meeting house.

(JOURNAL---During the spring...we came to the conclusion to visit our friends once more in the state of New York. I bought a carriage and two of our children, JOHN H. and CLINTON with MARY FOUKY went home with AARON HICKS while we were absent in N.Y. June 9, 1829 we commenced our journey. Took with us WILLIAM, ROBERT, HARRIET, LIZA and MARY JANE who was then a babe...from

Cleveland a vessel to sail, arrived at Buffalo July 5. Then by land through Batavia to Leroy where we stopped a few days at NOBEL DANIEL'S, from Leroy in two days we arrived in Auburn and stopped at JACOB SHELDON'S..next day they accompanied us to Brutus (We were very gratified to meet sister Mynervia and PERMELIA once more.) WM. SMITH was in Michigan and ORLEAN M. in Penn sylvania. After a week went to N.Y. for one week. On return spent night in Albany with Mr. HICKS, uncle of my wife. After returning to Brutus remained six weeks setting out for Ill. 10 Sept...arrived home middle of October. Summer of 1830 I made arrangements to commence merchandising, sometime in August O.M. ADAMS arrived in Edwardsville from N.Y. where he left brother PURCHES ADAMS almost blind. He remained through the fall and winter, assisted in tending the store. In 1830 MARY HAUKY married PUTNAM and moved to Montgomery Co. WELCH continued with me through the winter, Brother CHARLES assisted him part of the season but concluded to go and live with MR. LINCOLN and learn the millwright's trade. O.M.ADAMS went on to the east in May. In June we had a son annexed to our family. We called his name FRANKLIN...In Sept. we enjoyed the satisfaction of the arrival of her mother from the state of N.Y...she came with ZACHARIAH HICKS family and AARON HICKS who went for her from this county. It was very gratifying to my dear wife to have the company of her mother in her decline. In October we went with her to Green and Morgan Counties on a visit, soon after our return it pleased God to remove our little son...about sixteen months old. Late that fall my brother NOBLE ADAMS arrived from the state of N.Y...he settled on new land near ZACHARIAH HICKS in Morgan Co. in Dec. I sold my stock of goods on hand to O.M. ADAMS and MARK DANIELS...Finding the medical aid sought at Edwardsville for my beloved companion to have no beneficial effect I applied to a celebrated doctor in St. Louis...she continued to decline...She desired that I should marry again. She died last day of April, next day her funeral with sermon delivered by the Rev.Mr. Baily of Alton. She had felt strongly attached to the Baptist Church of Edwardsville to which she belonged. Our friends from Green & Morgan Counties arrived the next day after her burial and remained with us a few days...In July I received a new supply of goods from Boston and again opened my store. Brother CHARLES who had been living for two years with Mr. LINCOLN returned to live with me and attend to my store. I soon after took a trip to Pekin to see and settle some business with brother ORLEAN and DANIELS. After my return NOBLE came to see me and desired me to buy his land and what improvements he had made on it as his family as well as himself had become unreconciled to live in Illinois and wished to return to the State of N.Y. I paid him $300 for his place and about Sept. 1 he started on his return.

In August I received a letter from mother which brought the melancholy news of the death of brother PERCHAS who had been sick with sore eyes for about four years and finally had become otherwise afflicted which took him from this world.

About Dec. 1, I received a letter from brother NOBLE who had arrived at Brutus after long and tedious journey. He had only been at brother ROBERT's a few days when God in His providence saw fit to send afflictions among them. ROBERT...died after about fifteen hours; he left a great deal of unsettled business, having in some respects stepped into father's place and was executor of his lanst will and testament.

In Jan. 1834 I received letters from Pekin stating circumstances of ADAMS & DANIELS to be in a desperate situation relative to their business...my ultimate loss would not be less than under

two thousand dollars.
At length I became acquainted with Miss REBECCA GARDEN of Carleton (aged about 29 years)...she had remained with her father and helped to bring up a family of younger children about twelve years and the year before had lost her father also but still kept the family together. We were married on May 8, 1834. Brother ORLEAN who had just returned from Ky. where had been to get married and brought with him his bride, attended our wedding with brother CHARLES and some of our friends in Green County.
In the fall my brother CHARLES was taken down with rheumatism of the hip...he lingered along until his liver became affected which took him from this world the 28th day of Feb. 1835 in the 21st year of his age.
Year 1835 I also assisted brother ORLEAN in setting up and carrying on the oil (castor) business at Woodburn and brother WASHINGTON the same business in Lebanon.
June 20, 1835 we had a son annexed to our family, called after the one I had lost, FRANKLIN EDWARD.
My family during the year 1836 enjoyed very good health, my two oldest sons attended school a part of the time in Alton. We finally got an excellent school at Edwardsville when all my children that were old enough attended. Fall of 1835 and Spring of 1836 I bought about 1,000 acres of land and one fourth of the town of Woodburn and some property in Alton. By some of the property at Alton I made a handsome profit. I sold what property I had at Pekin...

L.82--from my Wife, June 15, 1834 to My Dear Companion...and signed, Affectionately yours till death, REBECCA ADAMS

(JOURNAL---May 9, 1837 we had another daughter, called her name SARAH HANNAH, Feb. 18, 1839 another son annexed to our family, called his name, CHARLES FERDINAND.)

RECORDS OF JONATHAN ADAMS FAMILY

JONATHAN ADAMS born Sept. 21, 1776
died Oct.28, 1828, aged 52 years
SALLY DANIELS born 31st 1779 (?)
married Sept. 15, 1789
JAMES C. ADAMS born Dec. 13, 1790
married in 1820
MINERVIA ADAMS born July 16, 1794
married 1817
NOBLE ADAMS born June 17, 1792
JOHN ADAMS born 25 Jan. 1796
married August 1818
ROBERT G. ADAMS born June 18th, 1797, married July 1823, died Oct. 29th, 1833
HIRAM A. ADAMS born July 13th 1799
WILLIAM S. ADAMS born Mar.26, 1801
PERMELIA ADAMS born Dec. 30, 1802
ORLEAN ADAMS born Nov. 8, 1804
WORTHINGTON P. ADAMS born Oct. 26, 1806, died 1833
SALLY M. ADAMS born Nov. 27, 1808
married 1830
JONAS P. ADAMS,born Dec. 13, 1810
died Jan. 1812
WASHINGTON F. ADAMS, born Sept. 30 1812
CHARLES ADAMS born July 1, 1814 ?
Died Feb. 1835
Infant dau. born & died June 1816
Infant dau. born & died June 1817

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ADAMS	SPOUSE	COUNTY, STATE	DATE
A. J.	Periman, Sarah E.	Greene Co. Mo.	28 Dec.1860
A. W.	Dial, H. M.	Carroll Co. Ba.	15 Sep. 1881
Abitha	Dunham, John P.	St. Francois Co. Mo.	13 Apr. 1862
Abner	Fortson, Betsey A.	Elbert Co. Ga.	10 Jul 1826
Abner	Manley, Lucy	Davidson Con. Tn.	5 Mar 1829
Absalom	Reid, Elizabeth	Carroll Co. Ga.	28 Nov 1833
Albert	Coffee, Nancy	Highland Co. Oh.	26 Oct 1830
Albert (wid)	Waddel, Maria	Highland Co. Oh.	11 Apr 1867
Albert	Jarrett, Elizabeth	Jackson Co. Ga.	17 Feb 1855
Alexander	Lenox, Susan	Crawford Co. Mo.	27 Jul 1854
Alfred	Noell, Elizabeth	Davidson Co. Tn.	3 Feb 1826
Alice L.	Duffield, Peter	Highland Co. Oh.	31 Aug 1879
Alice Sophie	Chandler, Ambrose B.	Carroll Co. Ga.	11 Dec 1881
Alley	Nix, James	Carroll Co. Ga.	4 Nov 1842
Amanda	Norman, Thomas I.	Upson Co. Ga.	20 Apr 1843
Andrew J.	Bell, Louisa	Jackson Co. Ga.	26 May 1847
Ann	Jones, William H.	Hardeman Co. Tn.	26 Oct 1842
Ann	Hastings, Thomas	Dinwiddie Co. Va.	13 Nov 1844
Ann Judson	Hickman, James R.	Cass Co. Mo.	6 Mar 1859
Anna	Anderson, Robert	Cass Co. Mo.	28 Jan 1849
Anne	Hobbs, Littleberry	Davidson Co. Tn.	24 Aug 1816
Anny	Fullerton, James	Jackson Co. Ga.	23 Feb 1815
Asa L.	Turner, Sarah A.	Highland Co. Oh.	27 Dec 1839
Benjamin	Davison, Susan	Carroll Co. Ga.	16 Dec 1857
Benjamin S.	Harris, Susan	Morgan Co. Ga.	3 Jul 1837
Betsy	Lemons, James	Highland Co. Oh.	12 Dec 1822
Beverly T.	Brown, Alvira E.	Franklin Co. Mo.	8 May 1845
Caleb B.	Mobley, Harriet	Jasper Co. Ga.	31 Jan 1828
Caroline	Taylor, William	Warren Co. Ky.	1 Mar 1848
Carter	Burnett, Marian	Upson Co. Ga.	25 Nov 1838
Catharine	Evans, Jesse	Greene Co. Mo.	27 May 1855
Catherine	Teters, Benjamin	Highland Co. Oh.	29 Aug 1832
Catherine	Stephens, Aminadah	Rutherford Co. Tn.	28 Sep 1829
Charles	Adams, Sarah A.	Highland Co. Oh.	18 Oct 1846
Charles W.	STewart, Mary A.	Highland Co. Oh.	17 Aug 1872
Charlotte	Nash, Henry	Green Co. Mo.	13 Dec 1840
Chenia R.	Butcher, George W.	Cass Co. Mo.	7 Oct 1865
Christiana	Stewart, James E.	Hardeman Co. Tn.	9 May 1854
Clement	Hines, Nancy	Warren Co. Ky.	29 Apr 1818
Clement	Jackson, Elizabeth	Warren Co. Ky.	4 Feb 1837
David	Welden, Ann	Jasper Co. Ga.	18 Aug 1831
David	Brasfield, Betsy	Greene Co. Ga.	1 Jan 1796
Deborah	Smith, James	Elbert Co. Ga.	18 Jan 1816
Delilah	Cox, John	Warren Co. Ky.	4 Dec 1798
Delilah I.	Lahn, William	Rutherford Co. Tn.	11 Mar 1841
Eady	Williams, Wm. M.	Carroll Co. Ga.	13 Dec 1855
Edmund H.	Ballard Amanda J.	Carroll Co. Ga.	6 Sep 1846
Edna	Moore, Anders W.	Cass Co. Mo.	14 Dec 1840
Edward	Hughes, Elizabeth	Rutherford Co. Tn.	23 Nov 1850
Edward	Stovall, Tabitha	Jackson Co. Ga.	15 Jul 1810
Edward (Edmund)	Dupreee, Mary	Jackson Co. Ga.	8 May 1828
Edward H.	Hancock, Julia A.	Jasper Co. Ga.	12 Dec 1841
Edward Loyd	Layton, Sary	Perry Co. Mo.	12 Jan 1836
Edwin	Testerman, Amanda	McDonald Co. Mo.	10 Mar 1872
Elias	Bentley, Sarah R.	Highland Co. Oh.	18 Jan 1856
Elijah Jr.	Michel, Sarah	Franklin Co. Mo.	14 Nov 1837
Eliza	Sims, Zachariah	Greene Co. Mo.	7 Mar 1839
Eliza	Morrison, Richard	Greene Co. Mo.	14 Mar 1841
Eliza	Drew, William	Davidson Co. Tn.	12 Nov 1823
Eliza A.	Stanforth, Geo. W.	Highland Co. Oh.	10 Mar 1854
Eliza J.	Gray, H.L.	Carroll Co. Ga.	9 Dec 1858
Eliza K.	Jackson, John T.	Warren Co. Ky.	1 Oct 1821
Eliza T.	Bivins, B.R.	Rutherford Co. Tn.	22 Jun 1848
Elizabeth	Cox, Archibald	Davidson Co. Tn.	9 Oct 1834
Elizabeth	Hiatt, Jeremiah	Highland Co. Oh.	11 Aug 1840
Elizabeth	Stoops, Isaiah	Highland Co. Oh.	26 Nov 1846
Elizabeth	Hunt, George	Wilkes Co. Ga.	3 Oct 1822
Elizabeth	Prator, H.A.	Haralson Co. Ga.	2 Sep 1869
Elizabeth	Greene, R.A.	Carroll Co. Ga.	27 Jan 1848
Elizabeth	Dickens(on), Wm.	Rutherford Co. Tn.	1 Sep 1818
Elizabeth	Conner, William	Marion Co. Mo.	6 May 1832

Elizabeth	Hodges, Henry	Cass Co. Mo.	3 Nov 1859
Elizabeth	Hutton, Samuel	Franklin Co. Mo.	7 Aug 1838
Elizabeth	Moore, Daniel	Franklin Co. Mo.	24 Feb 1833
Elizabeth	Clayton, Joseph	Greene Co. Mo.	15 Apr 1847
Elizabeth	Nash, George	Greene Co. Mo.	30 Dec 1851
Elizabeth	Childers, Daniel	Franklin Co. Mo.	12 May 1829
Elizabeth	Styles, Levi	Greene Co. Mo.	23 Dec 1841
Elizabeth (Mrs.)	Phillips, John J.	Greene Co. Mo.	25 Dec 1842
Elizabeth Jane	Holland, Tommie A.	Carroll Co. Ga.	13 Oct 1877
Elizabeth S.	Davenport, William	Oglethorpe Co. Ga.	3 Dec 1818
Ella	Geffs, Foster	Highland Co. Oh.	16 Nov 1876
Elmira	Leach, John	Highland Co. Oh.	18 Apr 1839
Elvira	Jeffries, Charles W.	Franklin Co. Mo.	6 Oct 1853
Emely	Shelton, Hamilton	Franklin Co. Mo.	9 Dec 1841
Enos	Burgan, Sarah	Andrew Co. Mo.	8 Jul 1842
Ephraim	Landas, Lidia	Highland Co. Oh.	24 May 1815
Ephraim	Carpenter, Fanny	Highland Co. Oh.	22 Mar 1838
Ephraim B.	Bray, Mary Ann	Hardeman Co. Tn.	30 Oct 1841
Eva L.	Haines, Alvin Z.	Highland Co. Oh.	15 Oct 1878
Eveline T.	King, Elias	Rutherford Co. Tn.	12 Feb 1842
Fannie A.(Mrs.)	Tanner, Robert L.	Carroll Co. Ga.	17 Jan 1882
	Fanny A. Barnett marr. W.J. Adams		12 Dec 1867
Francis	Green, Achsie P.	Highland Co. Oh.	26 Dec 1872
Francis	Young, Isabella	Davidson Co. Tn.	29 Mar 1799
Francis	Bell. H. W.	Carroll Co. Ga.	12 Jul 1861
Frances	Thornton, Jno.	Wilkes Co. Ga.	23 Oct 1823
Frances	Cooksey, Miles	Warren Co. Ky.	20 Apr 1832
Frances	Stanfield, James	Polk Co. Mo.	6 Sep 1837
Frances Jane	Duke, Chatham	Greene Co. Mo.	8 Feb 1843
Frederick	Bass, Frances	Warren Co. Ky.	30 Sep 1819
George	Huste, Elizabeth M.	Crawford Co. Mo.	29 Jun 1837
George	Anderson, Jemima	Elbert Co. Ga.	8 Apr 1828
George B.	Vanmeter, Caroline	Warren Co. Ky.	23 Jun 1841
George F.	Duke, Eliza C.	Jackson Co. Ga.	8 Dec 1830
George F.	Pollard, Mary	Jackson Co. Ga.	12 Jan 1851
George W.	Stewart, Nancy H.	Carroll Co. Ga.	24 Sep 1879
George W.	Johnson, Nancy	Jasper Co. Ga.	18 Dec 1845
Georgianna	Berryman, Lax	Hardeman Co. Tn.	27 Dec 1852
Gillespey	Morris, Elizabeth	Randolph Co. Ga.	14 Feb 1810
Gillis I. (J)	Johnson, Sarah	Carroll Co. Ga.	15 Mar 1837
Grace A.	Nelson, William	Wilkes Co. Ga.	6 Jul 1824
Green W.	Bentley, Mary	Harris Co. Ga.	5 Jun 1830
H.A. (Mrs.)	Wiley, Chesterfield	Warren Co. Ky.	22 Jan 1848
H.G.	Rainy, Sarah C.	Hardeman Co. Tn.	1 Mar 1858
Hamilton	Sweazy, Jane	Ste. Genevieve, Mo.	10 Apr 1855
Harriet	Colvin, James	Platte Co. Mo.	21 Dec 1851
Harriett	Tyler, Thomas W.	Highland Co. Oh.	19 Oct 1864
Harriett	Browning, Geo. W.	Hardeman Co. Tn.	16 Oct 1840
Harriett B.	Reade, Robert F.	Dinwiddie Co. Va.	31 Dec 1846
Harriett R.	Skillern, Wm. L.	Warren Co. Ky.	7 May 1823
Harrison Z.	Busick, Mary E.	Highland Co. Oh.	5 Nov 1879
Henry	Aikin, Sarah J.	Carroll Co. Ga.	30 Apr 1868
Henry	Shelton, Louisa	Franklin Co. Mo.	15 Sep 1840
Henry	Huffman, Sally	Franklin Co. Mo.	14 Jul 1834
Henry Ann	Adams, William	Warren Co. Ky.	21 Nov 1842
Hiram	Calkins, Elizabeth	Highland Co. Oh.	4 Jan 1866
Hiram	Whatley, Elizabeth	Morgan Co. Ga.	10 Dec 1834
Hiram	Russell, Mrs. Martha	Morgan Co. Ga.	
Hiram G.	Williams, Mary A.	Elbert Co. Ga.	3 Dec 1829
Indiana	Caldwell, Robert	Ralls Co. Mo.	23 Sep 1830
Isaac	Stephens, Patsy (wid)	Monroe Co. Mo.	
Isaac	Bankston, Nancy	Clarke Co. Ga.	1 Aug 1816
Isaac M.	McPherson, Martha	Highland Co. Oh.	15 Oct 1863
Isaac M.	Wright, Ann E.	Highland Co. Oh.	11 Feb 1869
Isaac N.	Copeland, Rachel A.	Carroll Co. Ga.	23 Nov 1863

Isabella	Black, James W.	Hardeman Co. Tn.	3 Sep 1847
Isabella	Harris, James H.	Hardeman Co. Tn.	28 Oct 1847
Isabella J.	Lawson, Robert A.	Highland Co. Oh.	17 Jul 1860
Isham	Barrow, Eliza	Pulaski Co. Ga.	30 Dec 1817
J.M.	Copeland, M.J.	Carroll Co. Ga.	18 Aug 1872
Jacob	Wiles, Rachael	Andrew Co. Mo.	8 Sep 1844
Jacob	Vincent, Rachael	Carroll Co. Ga..	5 Dec 1841
James	Sinclair, Martha J.	Highland Co. Oh.	29 Sep 1866
James	Rogers, Mary D.	Davidson Co. Tn.	3 Jul 1816
James	Knight, Lucinda	Carroll Co. Ga.	6 Feb 1845
James	Pratt, Dorcas	Oglethorpe Co. Ga.	9 Oct 1810
James	Hancock, Julia A.	Jasper Co. Ga.	7 Oct 1841
James	Hudson, Mrs. Martha	Jasper Co. Ga.	31 Aug 1842
James	Waller, Nelly	Jackson Co. Ga.	2 Jan 1827
James	Yoste, Margarette	Cass Co. Mo.	18 Jun 1858
James E.	North, Mary E.	Franklin Co. Mo.	8 Mar 1849
James G.	Adams, Sarah E.	Warren Co. Ky.	14 Sep 1843
James M.	Caron, Delphine	Highland Co. Oh.	3 Mar 1870
James M.	Williams, Elizabeth	Carroll Co. Ga.	15 Feb 1839
James T.	Roberts, Sarah C.	Jackson Co. Ga.	15 Feb 1858
James W.	Spence, Lucy J.	Polk Co. Mo.	29 Feb 1852
Jane	Labywell, Mose	Ste. Genevieve Mo.	19 Jan 1857
Jane	Battle, Jesse M.	Harris Co. Ga.	3 Mar 1835
Jane	Adolphus Rusier	Wilkes Co. Ga.	12 Nov 1830
Jane	Burris, Johnson	Highland Co. Oh.	11 Feb 1811
Jane	Gibson, Robert	Davidson Co. Tn.	18 Nov 1823
Jane	Logan, Joseph	Warren Co. Ky.	25 Jul 1810
Jane	Cummings, Benjamin	Cass Co. Mo.	28 Sep 1851
Jemimiah	Drewry, Richard	Davidson Co. Tn.	21 Apr 1819
Jeremiah	Verdin, Julia Ann	Upson Co. Ga.	21 Dec 1843
Jesse	Posey, Casey	Jackson Co. Ga.	22 Jan 1807
JOhn	Philips, Lucinda	Perry Co. Mo.	11 Jun 1837
John	Couch, Nancy	Carroll Co. Ga.	24 Dec 1854
John	Baldwin, Nancy E.	Highland Co. Oh.	21 Nov 1876
John	Hubbard, Catherine	Highland Co. Oh.	4 Apr 1871
John (wid)	Girton, Elsie	Highland Co. Oh.	29 Apr 1864
John	Bocock, Nancy	Highland Co. Oh.	9 Apr 1833
John	Morrow, Mary	Highland Co. Oh.	25 Sep 1841
John	Keedick, Zelpha An.	Highland Co. Oh.	3 May 1849
John	Cartwright, Mary	Davidson Co. Tn.	20 Jan 1835
John	Donnell, Jane M.	Greene Co. Mo.	29 Jul 1845
John	Jones, Pricilla	Franklin Co. Mo.	5 Aug 1856
John	Baily, Hannah	Franklin Co. Mo.	13 Nov 1836
John	Langford, Elizabeth	Clarke Co. Ga.	29 Aug 1820
John	Johnson, Patsy	Greene Co. Ga.	5 Mar 1804
John	Mickeff (?), Aditha	Jackson Co. Ga.	20 Dec 1811
John	Boring, Susanna	Jackson Co. Ga.	7 Dec 1806
John	Elliott, Malinda	Wilkes Co. Ga.	29 Dec 1825
John	Chandler, Arnett Mary	Wilkes Co. Ga.	18 Mar 1824
Jonn A.	Conner, Louisa J.	Ste. Genevieve Co. Mo.	11 Jul 1859
John D.	Hodges, Martha	Hardeman Co. Tn.	4 Mar 1847
John M.	Hulme, Agnes M.	Elbert Co. Ga.	7 Oct 1834
Jonn Q.	Dixon, Melinda	Andrew Co. Mo.	23 Jul 1846
Jonn Q.	Gillem, Mary Ann	Rutherford Co. Tn.	23 Jun 1843
J.Q.	Reid, Mahuldah E.	Haralson Co. Ga.	4 Jan 1866
John W.	Adams, Nancy	Rutherford Co. Tn.	11 Mar 1841
John Wm.	Brown, Emily E.	Highland Co. Oh.	4 Dec 1862
Jonas W.	Howard, Kesiah	Haralson Co. Ga.	4 Feb 1880
Jonathan	McCoy, Sarah	Highland Co. Oh.	8 Jul 1855
Jonathan	Gray, Mary	Pike Co. Ga.	2 Apr 1827
Joseph	McCoy, Nancy	Highland Co. Oh.	29 Aug 1840
Joseph	Shober, Susan	Warren Co. Mo.	18 Nov 1838
Joseph	Sublett, Martha M.	Warren Co. Ky.	24 Dec 1830
Joseph H.	Dodson, Mary A.	Osage Co. Mo.	
Josephas	Adams, Polly	Greene Co. Mo.	9 Dec 1841

Josephus	Hewitt, Sarah F.	Carroll Co. Ga.	13 Jul 1879
Joshua	Armstrong, Polly	Cass Co. Mo.	7 Jun 1840
Josiah	Bishop, Nancy	Warren Co. Ky.	13 Mar 1827
Josiah	Lynn, Martha	Warren Co. Ky.	2 Jun 1828
Julia Ann	Carty, Greenbery	St. Francois Co. Mo.	24 Mar 1839
Julia A.M.	Davis, James A.	Carroll Co. Ga.	22 Dec.1857
Julia C.	Janis, Felix H.	Ste. Genevieve Co. Mo.	9 Oct 1862
Julia M.	Hitchcock, John G.	Dinwiddie Co. Va.	10 May 1837
Larken	Wilhite, Malinda	Andrew Co. Mo.	25 Jan 1849
Larkin	Aldrep, Lucretia	Jasper Co. Ga.	1 Dec 1822
Laura J.	Collier, Allen	Highland Co. Oh.	25 Oct 1871
Lawrence M.	Hunt, Nancy H.	Elbert Co. Ga.	14 Nov 1826
Lawson	Hatcher, Malinda C.	Jasper Co. Ga.	14 Aug 1831
Lear	Thompson, James	Morgan Co. Ga.	16 Oct 1826
Lee	McPike, Louisa	Ste. Genevieve Co.Mo.	7 Nov 1850
Levin	Edwards, Winney	Pulaski Co. Ga.	4 Oct 1821
Lewis	Walker, Mary	Jackson Co. Ga.	30 Nov 1815
Logan B.	Bright, Martha	Hardeman Co. Tn.	14 Oct 1851
Lou A. (Mrs.)	Santee, Thomas O.	Highland Co. Oh.	11 Dec 1879
Louie	Johnson, Daniel P.	Highland Co. Oh.	20 Mar 1878
Louisa	Robinson, George C.	Franklin Co. Mo.	19 Aug 1848
Louisa	Sumner, John	Rutherford Co. Tn.	26 Jan 1843
Lucinda	Woodruff, Wm.B.	Perry Co. Mo.	26 Mar 1841
	(dau. of James & Elizab. Phillips, see John Adams.)		
Lucy	Medley, Batty	Harris Co. Ga.	14 Aug 1843
Lucy Jane	Reade, Wm. S.	Dinwiddie Co. Va.	26 Nov 1846
Lufina	Pike, Thomas	Harris Co. Ga.	21 Dec 1843
Lydia	Harrison, Jonathan	Highland Co. Oh.	29 Feb 1836
Mahala J.	West, W.S.	Carroll Co. Ga.	23 Mar 1856
Malinda	Chineworth, John	Andrew Co. Mo.	29 Jul 1849
Malinda	Foster, Shelton	Davidson Co. Tn.	14 Jun 1827
Margaret	Davis, Barton	Highland Co. Oh.	12 Mar 1818
Margaret	Jott, Dennis	Franklin Co. Mo.	29 Nov 1828
Margaret	Stiles, Samuel	Greene Co. Mo.	6 Apr 1845
Marian	Keen, John	Franklin Co. Mo.	29 Sep 1842
Marinda	Lancaster, William	Greene Co. Mo.	8 Sep 1852
Martha	Duckett, James	Warren Co. Ky.	29 Sep 1826
Martha	Brown, John B.	Franklin Co. Mo.	7 Feb 1833
Martha	Caswell, Williams	Greene Co. Mo.	20 Dec 1849
Martha Ann	Smith, Nathan L.	Franklin Co. Mo.	11 Jan 1844
Martha E.	Johnson, John L.	Highland Co. Oh.	4 Oct 1860
Martha S.	Hiatt, Willis W.	Franklin Co. Mo.	14 Oct 1849
Martin G.	Gambrill, Lucy Ann	Hardeman Co. Tn.	1 Aug 1840
Mary	Huffman, John	Highland Co. Oh.	31 Aug 1837
Mary	Johnson, Dennis	Highland Co. Oh.	25 Sep 1858
Mary	Woods, Lewis	Highland Co. Oh.	3 Jan 1853
Mary	Melvin, Andrew	Davidson Co. Tn.	5 Sep 1822
Mary	Crockett, David	Davidson Co. Tn.	8 Nov 1829
Mary	Williams, Moses	Carroll Co. Ga.	6 Aug 1839
Mary	Abercrombia, I.M.	Carroll Co. Ga.	24 Jan 1860
Mary	Davidson, Alfred	Warren Co. Ky.	12 Apr 1838
Mary	Crews, Peter R.	Hardeman Co. Tn.	30 Aug 1854
Mary	Nicholson, Peter J.	Greene Co. Mo.	25 Mar 1858
Mary A.	Dance, Matthew	Oglethorpe Co. Ga.	1805---1818
Mary E.	Reynolds, Joseph B.	Franklin Co. Mo.	7 Feb 1854
Mary J.	Dollarhide, Joel	Highland Co. Oh.	15 Nov 1865
Mary Jane	Walm, Elijah	Highland Co. Oh.	10 Sep 1837
Mary Jane	Hill, John P.	Greene Co. Mo.	5 Jan 1860
Mary M.	Young, Thomas	Marion Co. Mo.	15 Sep 1853
Mary R.	McGinnis, James	Warren Co. Ky.	1827
Matilda	Hatter, Leonard	Highland Co. Oh.	5 Apr 1838
Matilda	O'Reilly, James C.	Davidson Co. Tn.	17 Nov 1829
Matthew	Weaver, Jane	Greene Co. Mo.	27 Aug 1846
Minerva	Stephens, Benjamin	Cass Co. Mo.	22 Dec 1859
Minerva J.(Mrs.)	Crutchfield, Wm. P.	McDonald Co. Mo.	18 Nov 1872

Mourning	Thornton, Evan	Wilkes Co. Ga.	23 Oct 1817
Nancy	Dowry, John	Davidson Co. Tn.	9 Dec 1809
Nancy	Foster, Eli	Highland Co. Oh.	16 May 1822
Nancy	Hamlet, Robert B.	Carroll Co. Ga.	18 Feb 1836
Nancy	Smallwood, Elisha	Wilkes Co. Ga.	14 Feb 1830
Nancy	Tickle, John	Morgan Co. Ga.	17 Jul 1811
Nancy	Tickel, John	Morgan Co. Ga.	* 8 Oct 1811
	*married by Niper Adams		
Nancy	Headlee, Gideon	Green Co. Mo.	28 Nov 1839
Nancy	Adams, John W.	Rutherford Co. Tn.	11 Mar 1841
Nancy	Johnson, Joshua	Highland Co. Oh.	15 Feb 1849
Nancy	Crawford, Eli	Highland Co. Oh.	16 Jun 1822
Nancy	Singleton, Jeremiah	Warren Co. Ky.	4 Jun 1805
Nancy	Richardson, Clayton	Franklin Co. Mo.	1 Nov 1829
Nancy Ann	Nichols, Andrew	Greene Co. Mo.	10 Aug 1840
Nancy J.	Redfearn, John C.	Green Co. Mo.	19 May 1859
Nancy Jane	Bodenhamer, Peter B.	Greene Co. Mo.	18 Feb 1847
Nancy W.	Dortch, Jesse L.	Davidson Co. Tn.	3 Jan 1828
Nannie M.	Barrett, John W.	Highland Co. Oh.	26 Mar 1874
Nicholas N.	Hunt, Drusilla	Elbert Co. Ga.	2 Dec 1829
Nipper	Sheppard, Rebecca	Pike Co. Ga.	6 Oct 1830
Nipper	Self, Harriett	Morgan Co. Ga. pg.174	n.d.
Nipper	(see reference to Nancy Adams above*)		
Olivia	Handcock (Henrick) Bluford, Greene Co. Mo.		17 Dec 1856
Ota	Johnson. Alexander	Highland Co. Oh.	May 1848
Otho	Johnson, Mary	Ralls Co. Mo.	21 Nov 1827
Ovid	Yeats, Nancy	Monroe Co. Mo.	9 Jul 1835
Penelope	Saunders, Philip	Davidson Co. Tn.	14 Apr 1804
Percilla	Borden, Levi	Andrew Co. Mo.	26 Sep 1844
Permelia	Childers, Benj.P.	Franklin Co. Mo.	20 May 1841
Pheba E. Adams Stribling (wid), m. H.C. Dempsey, Carroll Co. Ga			5 Jan 1865
Phoebe C.	Stripling, Wm.B.	Carroll Co. Ga.	25 Mar 1858
Pheby Ann	Gentry, Jessie J.	Carroll Co. Ga.	21 Aug 1845
Polly	McCord, John	Cass Co. Mo.	11 Jun 1837
Polly	Harper, Castleton B.	Wilkes Co. Ga.	7 Jul 1819
Rachel	McKay, David	Highland Co. Oh.	9 May 1843
Rebecca	Gibson, William	Davidson Co. Tn.	14 Nov 1820
Rebecca	Henricks, John	Elbert Co. Ga.	13 Jul 1815
Rebecca	Dogget, Thomas	St. Francois Co. Mo.	12 Feb 1858
Rebecca	Brown, John	Franklin Co. Mo.	20 Mar 1828
	(Buril B. Adams, present at above)		
Reubens	Burnett, Catherine	Upson Co. Ga.	20 Dec 1838
Reubin	Bell, Elizabeth	Rutherford Co. Tn.	14 Jun 1845
Reubin	Lloyd, Burchett	Hancock Co. Ga.	n.d. bef. 1850
Richard	Whitehead, Rebecca	Clarke Co. Ga.	21 Sep 1823
Richard	Davis, Peggy	Wilkes Co. Ga.	12 Oct 1802
Richard S.	Webb, Nancy	Jasper Co. Ga.	10 Jan 1833
Riley	Wall, Elizabeth A.	Cass Co. Mo.	19 Nov 1839
Robert	Jones, Martha	Carroll Co. Ga.	31 Aug 1841
Robert	Hudson, Frances	Hancock Co. Ga.	1806---1850
Robert	Aston, Elizabeth	Greene Co. Mo.	2 Dec 1856
Robert	Willis, Nancy	Davidson Co. Tn.	13 May 1809
Robert	Whitten, Nancy B.	Warren Co. Ky.	16 Nov 1846
Rosanna	Gibson, Robert	Davidson Co. Tn.	11 Nov 1836
Ruben	Mullins, Julia	Harris Co. Ga.	3 Aug 1847
Ruth	Hill, Henry	Warren Co. Ky.	12 Feb 1825
Sallie A.	Spurlock, James M.	Highland Co. Oh.	22 Jan 1879
Sally	Reardon, Thomas	Davidson Co. Tn.	18 Aug 1802
Samuel	Jones, Bethena	Harris Co. Ga.	28 Feb 1849
Samuel	Copeland, Amanda	Cass Co. Mo.	30 Jun 1859
Samuel	Ruth, Mary	Andrew Co. Mo.	27 May 1849
Samuel C.	Baldwin, Louisa A.	Highland Co. Oh.	19 Jun 1867
Samuel H.	Hill, Sarah P.	Davidson Co. Tn.	26 Jan 1829
Sarah	Mitchell, Ensign	Highland Co. Oh.	17 Dec 1847
Sarah	Cahill, Edward	Highland Co. Oh.	4 Nov 1845
Sarah	Brazeel, Nathan	Wilkes Co. Ga.	25 Feb 1824

Sarah(*see Thos.)	Fowler, Geo. N.	Franklin Co. Mo.	9 May 1856
Sarah (Mrs.)	Childers, Henry	Franklin Co. Mo.	24 Nov 1847
Sarah	Pursel, William B.	Franklin Co. Mo.	28 Oct 1841
Sarah	Dysart, John	Greene Co. Mo.	18 Nov 1844
Sarah Ann	Adams, Charles	Highland Co. Oh.	18 Oct 1846
Sarah Ann	Akers, Preston	Platte Co. Mo.	24 Mar 1846
Sarah Ann	Griffin, James Prince,	Carroll Co. Ga.	13 Feb 1868
Sarah Ann	Wildman, Thomas	Greene Co. Mo.	16 Dec 1855
Sarah Cathr.	Fultz, Joseph (wid)	Highland Co. Oh.	7 Nov 1867
Sarah E.	Adams, James G.	Warren Co. Ky.	14 Sep 1843
Sarah Jane	Crum, Lewis M.	Highland Co. Oh.	31 Jan 1877
Sarah L.	Likins, George S.	Greene Co. Mo.	28 Dec 1856
Sarah L.	Morgan, William H.	Carroll Co. Ga.	8 Dec 1870
Sarah R.	Harrison, Cris R.	Hardeman Co. Tn.	22 Apr 1845
Sarah T.A.	Johnson, James E.	Highland Co. Oh.	26 Jan 1860
Sary	Tompkins (Lumpkin) Giles,	Oglethorpe Co.Ga.	10 Jun 1805
Seth	Clemmons, Martha J.	Andrew Co. Mo.	14 Nov 1854
Solomon	Terrell, Elizabeth	Highland Co. Oh.	18 Jan 1827
Stephen	Sharver, Elizabeth	Highland Co. Oh.	15 Jul 1832
Sterling H.	Manley, Nancy	Davidson Co. Tn.	18 Jan 1827
Sterlin(g)	Messer, Elizabeth	Carroll Co. Ga.	27 Jun 1847
Susan	McRay, William J.	Carroll Co. Ga.	26 Apr 1831
Susan	Gilliam, Richard	Rutherford Co. Tn.	28 Jun 1843
Susan	Bouse, Jacob	Cass Co. Mo.	23 Jan 1848
Susan F.	Eddleman, F.G.	Hardeman Co. Tn.	3 Mar 1856
Susan Mary	Wright, Jonathan	Highland Co. Oh.	28 Sep 1837
Susannah	Howard, Allen	Warren Co. Ky.	27 Nov 1824
	(her parent, Francis Adams)		
Tabitha	Green, Joseph	Highland Co. Oh.	3 Nov 1855
Tabitha	Gollerher, John	Rutherford Co. Tn.	1 May 1839
Tabitha A.	Beamer, Mark	Cass Co. Mo.	26 Sep 1860
Talitha	Jones, Jabes	Highland Co. Oh.	5 Jul 1846
Thomas	Fowler, Sarah E.*	Franklin Co. Mo.	8 May 1856
	(see Sarah Adams)*		
Thomas	Goff, Charity	Pulaski Co. Ga.	2 Mar 1830
Thomas	Joslin, Phebe Ellen	Andrew Co. Mo.	21 Feb 1850
Thomas A.	Austin, Elizabeth	Davidson Co. Tn.	12 Feb 1826
Thomas J.	Carroll, Malinda	Haralson Co. Ga.	27 Dec 1863
Thomas L.	Casey, Virginia E.	Ralls Co. Mo.	10 Jul 1866
Thomas P.	Tennant, Ann	Davidson Co. Tn.	18 Nov 1819
Thomas R.G.	Watts, Mary Caroline	Jackson Co. Ga.	15 Feb 1827
Tobias	Gibson, Isabella	Davidson Co. Tn.	7 Jan 1791
Tristin	Simmons, Mary	Highland Co. Oh.	26 Jan 1836
W.	Hagin, Nancy T.	Harris Co. Ga.	6 Aug 1847
W.A.M.	Cocharan, N.E.	Haralson Co. Ga.	16 Nov 1876
W.C.	Curbo, Emmer O.	Carroll Co. Ga.	3 Feb 1884
W.J.	Barnett, Fanny A.	Carroll Co. Ga.	12 Dec 1867
Warren P.	Day, Harriet	Marion Co. Mo.	8 May 1855
Washington	Garrett, Louisianna	Andrew Co. Mo.	31 May 1846
Weldon (Wilson)	Peat (Teal) Parina	Harris Co. Ga.	18 Dec 1832
Wiles (94)	Bleakley, Nancy	Davidson Co. Tn.	13 Aug 1808
William	Clark, Louisa A.	Ste. Genevieve Co.Mo.	10 May 1836
William	Folds, Polly An.	Carroll Co.Ga.	16 May 1868
William	Tatum, Jemima Ann	Greene Co. Mo.	14 Dec 1859
William	Jones, Mary J.	Franklin Co. Mo.	2 May 1850
William	Hyatt, Elizabeth	Franklin Co. Mo.	17 Jul 1836
William	Wilson, Mary	Cass Co. Mo.	20 Mar 1850
William	Bearm, Emily	Warren Co. Mo.	6 Jun 1842
William	Rice, Frances	Ralls Co. Mo.	2 Oct 1828
	(male, above, from Howard Co. Mo.)		
William	Adams, Henry Ann	Warren Co. Ky.	21 Nov 1842
	(her father-Clement Adams)		
William	Endicott, Susan	Platte Co. Mo.	2 Jan 1845
William	Hall, Jane	Rutherford Co. Tn.	27 Dec 1836
William	Crouse, Elizabeth	Rutherford Co. Tn.	19 Dec 1850
William	Sweeney, Rachel	Greene Co. Ga.	2 Nov 1820
William	Stone, Betsy	Jackson Co. Ga.	21 Apr 1811
William	Hatley, Salley	Oglethorpe Co. Ga.	24 Nov 1806
William	Smith, Elizabeth	Oglethorpe Co. Ga.	2 Dec 1816
William	Huddleston, Nancy	Oglethorpe Co. Ga.	14 Sep 1818
William A.	Crump, Maria Ann	Dinwiddie Co. Va.	14 Aug 1850
William A.	Lucus, Stacy	Morgan Co. Ga.	11 Jun 1818
William B.	Riggs, Josephine	Carroll Co. Ga.	21 Jul 1853
William C.	Newland, Eliza W.	Hardeman Co. Tn.	5 May 1846
William E.	Copelan, Sallie E.	Greene Co. Ga.	18 Nov 1874
William E.	--	Morgan Co. Ga.	14 Aug 1836
William G.	Baily, Celia	Franklin Co. Mo.	3 Nov 1836
William H.	Gist, Harriet A.	Platte Co. Mo.	30 Jan 1851
William H.	Cheek, Nancy	Elbert Co. Ga.	3 Oct 1833
William M.	McMillen, Ann	Highland Co. Oh.	25 Jan 1833
William M.	Davidson, Mary	Carroll Co. Ga.	26 Jan 1839
William S.	Woodard, Sarah F.	Carroll Co. Ga.	20 Dec 1877
William T.	Magruder, Mrs.Mary J.,	Marion Co. Mo.	18 Apr 1852
William W.	Milner, Mary	Highland Co. Oh.	28 Jul 1869
William W.	Johnson, Mattie	Carroll Co. Ga.	2 Dec 1886
Wilma	Wilson, P.E. (of Texas)	Andrew Co. Mo.	28 Sep 1854
Winnifred (74)	Jennings, William	Davidson Co. Tn.	5 Feb 1803
Winy	Rambo, James M.	Harris Co. Ga.	4 Jul 183[illegible]
Zelpha Ann	Simbro, Jacob	Highland Co. Oh.	10 Sep 185[illegible]
Zephaniah	Morrison, Hannah	Highland Co. Oh.	13 Dec 182[illegible]

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105-RJC Did EPHRAIM NATHANIEL ADAMS die in Ind. or Ohio before 1836? Some of his family went to Iowa. Born in Md. ca 1787. In Highland Co. Ohio 1816-22 & perhaps Warren Co. Ind.

107-WHA Would like to hear from others interested in NOAH A. ADAMS, born in N.C. ca 1820. Liv. in Madison Co.Ind. 1840

108-CL MARY ADAMS b. 1817 in Md. In Mo. by 1838 & Pottawattamie Co. Iowa by 1856. Marr. JOSEPH HOLEMAN. Need info. Need

110-IRR SAMUEL C(G). ADAMS b. 24 Jan.1822 S.C., marr. Dec. 184[illegible], Talbot Co., Ga. to SARAH PIERCE, PHILIP ADAMS was J.P. Liv. Stewart Co. Ga. 1850-60. Mov. to Henderson Co.Tx. about 1872. Want his b.p. and family. Need parents too.

111-EH Looking for WILLIAM ADAMS who left Madison Co. Ind. & mov. to Hale, Mo. with wife LUCINDA HUNTZINGER ca 1860-70. He may have been adopted, or brothers raised him. HUNTZINGER info also desired.

112-BG Wants Henry Co. Ky. ADAMS info.

113-JHK Is SAMUEL ADAMS of Washington Co. Pa. your problem? I'll be happy to share him with you. Lived there 1806-1854.

Born 1791 (where?), marr. BARBARA MITCHELL. THOMAS SLEMENS ADAMS 1848-1926 was son.

114-LC Will share info on these brothers: (All b. in KY.& mov. to Mo.) JEPTHA J. ADAMS 1838-1928 (ELIZABETH JACKSON HOLBROOK), JOHN ADAMS (mov. to Tx. or Wash.), JOE ADAMS wed SARAH DIX, MARTIN ADAMS, d.1927, marr. #1 MARY ANN JACKSON & #2 ANN MARY KIRKPATRICK MARSHALL. Need place of origin.

115-RLS THOMAS ADAMS b. in Ky.(where?) ca 1818. Need marr. date & place to CYNTHIA CALHOUN (b. 1818 Ind.) Liv. Cumberland Co., Ill. 1870. MARTHA AGNES ADAMS b. 1841 in Carroll Co., Ky. marr. T. R. STORM 1866 Cumberland Co. Ill.

116-TC WILLIAM ADAMS marr. LUSINDA HUNTZINGER in 1855. He was b. 1833 in Sullivan Co. Ind. Was he born out of wedlock

117-VG NEED info on WILLIAM ADAMS b. ca 1719. Liv.inWest Dunstable, Mass. 1738-57 (later known as Hollis, N.H.) marr. MARY SPEAR of Lunenburg, Mass.

118-ADG Who were parents and sibling of MARY MAGDALINE ADAMS b. ca 1830-40 in Mississippi. (Your editors need information from Miss. on Adamses.)

119-AMA DENNIS ADAMS b. ca 1775 N.C. (?). In Tatnall Co., Ga. 1802. Marr. 2x. #1 wife unknown (sons JOSHUA & LASA b. in Ga. ca 1810). #2 wife SARAH WILLIAMS b. 1789 S.C. Lived in Ala 1820-30, Gadsden Co. Fla. 1830-36, Brooks Co.Ga.1836.

121-WGS Exchange data on GEORGE ADAMS, b. 1751 Lancaster Co Pa.

122-GB RICHARD ADAMS, b. 1852 N.Y., Parents b. Can. & Ire. Marr. AGNES KELSEY in Provo Utah 1877. Liv. Wash., Nev., & Mont., Ida., and may have spent childhood in Hutchinson, Kn.

123-LSA Who was JACOB ADAMS, b. 1800, Wilkes Co. N.C.?

124-RES Need info on par., bros., sis., etc.,. of Captain JOHN GILES ADAMS b. 1792 near Nashville, Tn., d. in Indian War, Ogle Co. Ill., 1832. Marr. PERMELIA BRALY, 1814, in Tn (Bedford Co. Tn.)

125-EBH Would like to hear from others with ADAMS needs in Vermont. (So would your editors.) GEORGE ADAMS, a Glover settled in Watertown, Mass., 1645. Origin - Eng. Who is he?

126-WA JOSEPH EBENEZAR ADAMS (EB.) b. March 1850 (where??) Liv. in Mo. bef. 1876 and in Wise Co. Tex. after 1876. Died 1938 Coal Co. Okla. Marr. MARY KNOX, where & when?

127-BGA DANIEL BOONE ADAMS b. ca 1840 Ky. mov. to Douglas Co. Mo. about 1848. Parents, sibling and origin needed.

128-JAP JOHN GILES ADAMS b. 1792, Tn., marr. PERMELIA BRALY from Giles Co.,Tn., Mov. to Logan Co.,Ill. 1828. Was killed by Indians during Black Hawk War in 1832. Left 8 ch. in Logan Co., Ill. Need names of his parents & sibling.

129-BVH JOHN ADAMS from N.C. b. 1788. Wife RHODA JOHNSON, Moved to Mountain City, Tn. ca 1830.(Originally Taylorsvile)

130-ALL Need names of direct desc. of JOSHUA ADAMS, marr. PHOEBE EASLEY. Left Halifax Co. Va. ca 1785. May have mov. to Ky. or Tn. He was son of JOHN ADAMS who may have come from Fairfax Co. Va. 1725 to 1755. Also want connection of surname of NAPIER or NIPPER families with the ADAMS. Believe marriage alliance reason for given name of NIPPER being used through successive generations from JOHN mentioned above.

131-SSL JONATHAN ADAMS & wife FANNY liv. in Delaware Co.NY. ca 1830. Mov. to Susquehanna Co. Pa. and Wayne Co. Pa. Ch: PAUL, MARIA, MARY, AMANDA, ROXY, JONATHAN, FANNY, EFFALINDA, LAURA, JULIA, WARNER & ALMA. (B. 1829-1850)

133-AW My Gggf THOMAS D. ADAMS was b. 1791 Loudoun Co. Va. Marr. ANNA SHRY 1812. Liv. Randolph Va. 1813. His only son DANIEL C. ADAMS b. 1814. Need parents of THOMAS.

134-DAL WALLACE ADAMS, lived in Mass. or somewhere in New England 1894-5. His son CHARLES ADAMS b. 1895 supposedly in Boston but cannot find records. Can anyone help??

135-RC JOHN D. ADAMS, census says b. in Pa. His father or grandfather b. in Ire. JOHN marr. RACHEL P. FORNIER, Brown Co. Ohio. In Mason Co. Ky. in 1790's.

136-LRJ GEORGE ROZWELL ADAMS, origin unknown, marr. 3X, #1 CATHERINE V. HALBERT, #2. ELIZABETH NEVILLE, #3.MARY S. MORE Liv. near Preston Co. Va. (W.Va.)

137-WBA DAVID ADAMS b. ca 1758 Ire., D. Johnson Co. Ind. m. POLLY KEPHART. Liv. in Henry Co. Ky. Will exchange info.

138-WED ELIJA ADAMS b. in Vt., marr. PHOBE CROSBY. Data is needed. His son LYMAN ADAMS b. 1827 in Batavia, N.Y., marr SAMANTHA WORTMAN & JANE ATKINSON. Died 1915 Monroeville, Oh.

139-MGM WILLIAM ADAMS marr. NANCY ROBINSON liv. near Bluemont, Va. Ch: MASON C. (b.1818), HENRY, NANNIE, SUSAN and KITTY ADAMS. He d. 1886.

141-SNF PATRICK HENRY ADAMS, b. ca 1829 in Ark. D. 1905 in Yorkville, Ca. His father b. Ky., mother b. N.C.(Need their names). Marr. ISSAPHENA STUBBLEFIELD (b. 1833, Ark.) Her par. b. in Tenn. He went to Calif. from Quincy, Ill. 1852 with Senator Carver. Were they marr. enroute? Or where?

142-DA DAVID ADAMS b. ca 1705. First found ca 1750 Anson Co.,N.C. By 1767 was liv. in Lancaster Co.,S.C. Marr. SARah ??. Had three known ch: JAMES (m.MARY MONTGOMERY), DAVID JR. (m. ELEANOR-NELLIE), HANNAH (m.JOHN N. OGLETHORPE). Need proof of more children. Was this family from Va., Pa. or N.C.?

143-FKC ELI ADAMS, b. 1779 N.C., #1 marr. MARY FRY, in 1802 Stokes Co.,N.C. #2 marr. MARGARET (PEGGY) SCOTT, June 1810 Franklin Co. Ind. where he is buried. Need his parentage.

144-RGD DESIRES INFO ON ANCESTRY OF EZEKIAL ADAMS, b. 1822, N.C. D. after 1885 Hamilton Co.Fla. Marr. HARRIETT HOWARD, b. 1823, Ga. (Need her parents). Their Ch: MARGARET (1845), SARAH ELIZABETH (1850), MARY JANE (1857), JOHN QUINCY (1860) WILLIAM (1862), BENJAMIN (1868). All ch.,except last, born in Ga. WHERE?? (Here's one for our "GEORGIA" specialists.)

145-HLA Have seen statement that RACHEL, wife of PETER ADAMS (1621-90, son of Henry of Braintree, Mass.) was dau. of FRANCIS & RACHEL NEWCOMB. Need positive proof. PETER'S el-

dest son was JOHN ADAMS, b. 1651 in Mass. Also need place & date of marr. of CHARLES A. ADAMS (1825-1893) to MARY ANN SHADDUCK, liv. near Erie Co., Pa. Would like ADAMS cemetry transcriptions fron Sullivan Co., N.Y. (So would Addenda.)

150-MC JOSIAH ADAMS, b. ca 1840 Madison Co., Ky., in early 1880's mov. to McLean Co., Ill. Need parentage & misc. info

151-LPK Who was WILLIAM ADAMS, b. ca 1772 in Md. and listed in 1850 census of Madison Co., Ark?

152-LTH JENNIE ADAMS (1885) was dau. of HENRY ADAMS & grand dau. of WILLIAM ADAMS, both of Fayette Co. Pa. Need info of parentage, sibling, etc. HENRY b. 1860, d. 1934,Hopwood Pa.

153-GP Clues needed on ROLLIN (ROWLAN) ADAMS b. 1775, died 1857. Bur. Steuben Co. N.Y. Liv. Chenango Co.NY. Marr. to CATHERINE TOWSLEY. (b. 1785, d. 1862)

154-JEA Desparate for all info on JOHN ADAMS, b. ca 1785 NC or where? D. 1849 Anson Co. N.C. Marr. SARAH ? (PRATT?) do not know where or when. Possible son of LEVI ADAMS. If you know anything about this person please contact Addenda.

155-PEW Marriage Bond in Jefferson Co.,Tenn. : ISAAC ADAMS & JERUSHA WEST, 1806, Bondsman, ROBERT GENTRY, step-father of JERUSHA. No other mention of ISAAC in Jefferson Co. Tn. records. Where did they go? Who were descendants???

156-EAS HENRY ADAMS d. 1839, Warren Co. Ga. Marr. LEODICIE ?? who was b. ca 1793 in S.C. Ch: SARAH (REESE), BENJAMIN (b.1818), MARY ANN (BROWN), WM. LOYD (b.1819), JOHN FRANCIS, MOSES (d.Civil War), CELIA (b.1823). Who were parents? Also want info on Adams-STOREY alliances.

157-AD JOHN ADAMS, b. N.C. & marr. there. Came to Letcher Co.,Ky. 1795-1805. Are all Letcher Co. ADAMSES his descendants?

158-JIG..My last known ancestor, which I need help with, is JAMES ADAMS who marr. MARY MONTGOMERY. Liv. in Camden Dist. Craven Co.-Waxhaws S.C. Died Hancock Co. Ga. Who was he?

160-WGH..REUBEN ADAMS may have been b. in N.Y. or R.I.,marr. to ROZILLA HOADLEY in 1803. He d. 1860, Oneida Co.,N.Y. Our family has been searching for parents of REUBEN for decades. Would appreciate lists of all REUBEN names anywhere bef.1860

162-BHL..I am interested in finding info on parents & bros.& sis. of ISAAC WISEMAN DENMAN ADAMS, b. 1840, d. 1916 in Moravia, Iowa. Marr. REBECCA ANN SALES in Claiborne,Tn. Died 1934 in Iowa. Where was he from?

163-ML...Am interested in locating HUGH ADAMS' parents. He was in Ky. in 1812. His son ALLEN ANSCEL ADAMS was born in Putnam Co., Ind. 1838.

164-SBC..Would like to locate original source of name of the first BRITON (BRITTAIN, BRITTEN) ADAMS. Badly in need of in fo on the surname of BRITON and its various spellings.

165-FLA..GEORGE BERRY ADAMS had two sisters, NANCY (m.BOONE) and LUCINDY (m.MERRITT). They came to Habersham Co. Ga., ca 1825 from Pendleton Co. S.C. Who was their father & bros.? GEORGE B. was b. ca 1790, d. 1860 in Lumpkin Co. Ga. First marr. MARTHA A. ??, #2 m. SARAH TURNER. Will share.

166-CFO..CATHERINE E. ADAMS liv. in Fenton, Mo. where a dau. MARTHA RICHARDSON was b. in 1854. CATHERINE ADAMS marr. Wm. CLARK RICHARDSON. MARTHA marr. DENNIS COSTIGAN in St. Louis.

167-BS...I have hit a stone wall for several years on my interest. Grandma was SARAH ANN ADAMS supposedly of White Co. Ark., but no info available there. (Addenda suggests search of nearby counties, death certificate or recent census probing by writing Pittsburg, Kn., Marr. record might reveal her place of origin.)

168-LL...Want info on CHARLES & NORMAN BOWMAN ADAMS, b. 1842 in Westmoreland Co., Pa. Latter in Henry Co. Ill. state cn. of 1855. Need parents and relationship, if any, of both.

169-JSA..I have no particular problems regarding my line,but there are some things I need detail on. JAMES ADAMS was a desc. of ROBERT ADAMS who came on the Bona Nova. JAMES was in Rev. Wr. Did he die in Ky., where he got a land grant,or did he go to Tex.? Did JAMES' son WILLIAM fight in Rev. War as stated by one of his dau.? And accepted as fact by DAR?

171-WAW..My G-grandmother, MARY JANE ADAMS, was born 1822,in Frankfort, Ky. Third child of _____ADAMS and ELIZABETH DYER ADAMS. Need father's first name, parentage, etc.,. (Note from Addenda..this writer sent Griffith info for your co-editor. While this is not her particular line she is so thankful for the thoughtfulness she takes this space to tell the writer. Also, she would like to point out that children of GRIFFITH line bear many popular ADAMS first names. Such as FLETCH (ER), JONATHAN, JESSE, etc.,. Happy hunting!)

172-MAT..Desires parents of ELIZA ADAMS who liv. 1803-44 in Daviess Co., Ky. Also looking for GLORE, CLORE info.

175-BH...Am seeking info concerning JESSE ADAMS of Ark. 1838 His family grew up & liv. in Marion Co.,Ark. M. RHODA MARTIN

176-EMB..DRURY ADAMS, dates unknown, Soldier Rev.War fron NC Land grant, 1815, Trigg Co. Ky. Descendant of JESSE ADAMS, (1785-1812), SPOTWOOD W. ADAMS (1830-1861), GEORGE HENRY ADAMS (1868-1950) all of Kentucky.

177-JEL..I have info on DAVID ADAMS, Sr. of N.H. and his son OLIVER ADAMS of Saratoga Co. N.Y. to share. (Addenda would like to have this in our records.)

178-GHSK.Capt. JOHN ADAMS marr. #1 JANE JAMES 1654, marr. #2 ELIZABETH __?__. Need her maiden name, parentage, etc. JOHN died 1704 testate . In Mass. to 1661, L.I. to 1691, & in N.J. 1690-1704. Who was Edward BUZBY who marr. SUSANNAH ADAMS (1674-17)?

SPECIAL NOTE: Everyone sending in a query in 1971 has had it published in Addenda. Everyone sending in an 'earliest Adams ancestor' card has also had the privilege of having it printed in a query or information format. If you have been overlooked, please send a query in immediately. Had we not improvised by using the "Ancestor" cards the use of this column would have been almost nothing. We are hoping each of you will send in your own personally written query providing more depth information. Queries are free, you know.

FURTHER NOTE: We are now using your initials with our code number to aid you in distinguishing your material from that of others. (Ed..."we are learning as we go along.")

Adams Answers

1-12 (CW)...ROBERT ADAMS referred to was the son of ROBERT & ELIZABETH SHIRLAND ADAMS of Devonshire. Have this line to 1291 A.D...FRANCES ADAMS, New York, New York. (5 pgs.)

1-13 (JME)...Charlotte Co., Va. Marriages: THOMAS ADAMS and SALLY FORD, 20 Oct. 1786; WILLIAM ADAMS & KETURAH FORD, Aug. 1, 1785. No m. or JAMES ADAMS & CECILLY FORD, however, "The Douglas Register" ed. by W. Mac Jones, 1928, p.19, refers to "JAMES ADAMS m. CECILLY FORD". A JAMES ADAMS JR. b. Oct. 18 1753, d. 1835; m. JANE CUNNINGHAM 19 June, 1772.....HENRY W. ADAMS, Atlanta, Ga. [ADDENDA has a file from Mrs. CLARENCE HOSKINS stating JAMES ADAMS and JENNY CUNNINGHAM were m. in Charlotte Co., Va.] (2 pgs.)

1-18 (CH)...Charlotte Co. Va., JAMES ADAMS marr. LEANNA SULL IVANT (widow), 3 June 1782. On 12 June 1772 JAMES & JENNY CUNNINGHAM were marr. (see above answer). HENRY WELCH ADAMS of Atlanta, Ga. (2 pgs.)

1-37 (ELW)...LODOWICH ADAMS & SARAH ADAMS WILLIAMS were ch. of CHARLES ADAMS. They, and sibling, are recorded in Cecil Co. Md., Will, dated 10 Jan 1733, Prob. 4 Feb. 1733. With a given name as rare as Lodowick this seems a likely clue to work upon...HENRY WELCH ADAMS, Atlanta, Ga.....(1 pg.)

1-69 (MLB)...Records show that WILLIAM ADAMS, s. of JOHN and SUSANNA (WOOD) ADAMS, b. ca 1756, died 1839. Proof from Will date. Supposedly fought in Revolution. Father JOHN was s. of GABRIEL ADAMS of Fairfax Co. Va. Have no info in Halifax Co. Va., of a JOHN ADAMS born in Brunswick, 1730 and there's no death record there. JOHN, son of GABRIEL, prob. d. in Halifax Co. Va. or in N.C..A.L.LUNSFORD, Brookneal,Va.1 pg.)

1-68 (HEA)...Please write Mrs. A. B. THOMPSON, Rt. 1, Box 148, Bastrop, La. 71220. [Keep the ADDENDA posted!]

176 (EMB)... Swem's Index refers us to Tyler's Quarterly, 3: 61 for mention of DREWRY ADAMS. [ADAMS ADDENDA] Let us know if a copy is unavailable to you. Virginia State Library in Richmond, Va. can send a copy of the page.

Someday, hopefully, the "Answers" will rival "An'Quest'ors" in length and interest. Our index is too young to be much aid and our readers are waiting to see just what it is that may be in store for them.

By controlling the correspondence we are building our files and sharing all information with others who may be interested in the same names, now and in the future.

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In the Mss. Index of VIRGINIA HISTORICAL SOCIETY is a letter to THOMAS ADAMS and from THOMAS JEFFERSON. The letter is dated Feb. 20, 1771, Monticello.

Asking ADAMS to dispose of his tobacco, make purchases for him, search the Herald's Office for his family coat-of arms, which he had been informed could be bought as "cheap" as any other coat. Asks him to hasten the clavischord, which he has ordered from Hamburgh, as those made there are better and cheaper. Certain articles ordered were not to be shipped unless restrictions were removed on tea.

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GRIMSLEY FAMILY WORKBOOK, 1971. $5.00..Ppd.
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Bob has accumulated thousands of Grimsley's in this workbook with many, many references and interesting information. His index includes:

Laura Ruth Grimsley who marr. _____ ADAMS McLean Co. Ill. (b. ca 1910)Who is he?

Ted Grimsley who marr. LEOTA BELLE ADAMS in 1927, St. Louis, Mo. (Need her parents.)

Ida Mae Grimsley marr. ERNEST ALVIN ADAMS, 1906, Donley Co., Texas.(Need his parents.)

If you have any GRIMSLEY references you'll help us repay our debt to him for the many hours spent in helping and advising us.

Ruth and Dot

By: W.G. SCROGGINS
300 E. 40th St.,22c, New York, N.Y.

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ ADAMS (Surname)

Husband's Full Name:	WILLIAM ADAMS			
Vital Data	Day Mo. Year	Town	County	State or Country
Birth	15 Sept. 1734		Chester	Pennsylvania
Christen.				
Marriage	ca 1754			
Death	13 July 1816	Cause: Unk.	Surry (Yadkin)	North Carolina
Burial		Cemetery:		
Father's Full Name	GEORGE ADAMS	Mother's Maiden Name	KATHERINE DIXON	
Remarks:	Quakers			
Wife's Full Maiden Name:	SUSANNA MARTIN			
Vital Data	Day Mo. Year	Town	County	State or Country
Birth	18 June 1734		Chester	Pennsylvania
Christen.				
Death	2 Dec. 18--		Surry (Yadkin)	North Carolina
Burial				
Father's Full Name	MOSES MARTIN	Mother's Maiden Name	MARGARET BATTIN	
Remarks:	Grandfather, THOMAS MARTIN came from Bristol, Eng. to Pa. on "Unicorne" 16 October 1685.			

CHILDREN

Sex	Full Name	Vital Data	Date	Place
F	1 JANE (or JEAN)	Birth	15 Feb 1755	Bedford Co. Va.
		Death	1842	N.C.
		Marr.	20 Aug 1772	To: THOMAS BROWN
	2 RACHEL	Birth	2 Jan 1757	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death		
		Marr.	16 Dec 1773	To: JOHN (or PETER) MOON
F	3 MARY	Birth	9 Feb 1759	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death		
		Marr.	1778	To: RICHARD BROWN
F	4 ANNE	Birth	24 Jan 1761	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death		
		Marr.	6 Jan 1783	To: ISAAC PERKINS
M	5 JONATHAN	Birth	22 Jan 1763	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death	1851	
		Marr.	19 Oct 1786	To: ANNE BROWN
F	6 SARAH	Birth	25 Jan 1765	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death	13 Mar 1862	Wayne Co. Indiana
		Marr.	20 Mar 1793	To: WILLIAM JOHNSON
M	7 WILLIAM	Birth	30 Jul 1767	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death		
		Marr.	1798	To: MILLICENT BARNETT
M	8 MOSES	Birth	18 Aug 1769	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death		
		Marr.	ca 1791	To:
M	1 GEORGE	Birth	7 Oct 1771	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death	1827	
		Marr.	Feb.1813	To: AGATHA JACKSON, #2 LYDIA PARKER
M	2 JAMES	Birth	14 Nov 1773	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death	18 Nov 1773	
		Marr.		To:
F	3 MARGARET	Birth	11 Nov 1775	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death		
		Marr.	1802	To: JESSE FLEMING
M	4 JOHN	Birth	12 Dec 1778	Orange Co. N.C.
		Death		
		Marr.	ca1803	To: ELIZABETH --?--

JEAN ADAMS PYLE
7570 E. SPEEDWAY Sp 11
TUCSON, ARIZONA 85710

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ ADAMS (Surname)

Husband's Full Name:	JOHN GILES ADAMS			
Vital Data	Day Mo. Year	Town	County	State or Country
Birth	@ Dec 1792		DAVIDSON	TENNESSEE
Christen.				
Marriage	Aug 1814		GILES	TENNESSEE
Death	14 May 1832	Cause: Indian War, Scalped & dismembered		
Burial	15 May 1832	Cemetery: Stillman Valley, Ogle Co.,Ill.(Mil.Cem.)		
Father's Full Name	unknown	Mother's Maiden Name		
Other wives: Remarks:	Military Service--Black Hawk War			
Wife's Full Maiden Name:	PERMELIA BRALY (BRAWLEY)			
Vital Data	Day Mo. Year	Town	County	State or Country
Birth	1796		GILES	TENNESSEE
Christen.				
Death	26 Feb 1871			
Burial		Niblick Cemetery Logan Co., Ill.		
Father's Full Name	THOMAS CATHEY BRALY	Mother's Maiden Name		
Other husbands: Remarks:				

CHILDREN

Sex	Full Name	Vital Data	Date	Place
F	1 ERVALINA SHAFFER	Birth	26 Feb 1815	Tennessee
		Death		
		Marr.		To: JAMES SIMMONS
F	2 MOLLIE (POLLY)	Birth	31 Oct 1816	Tennessee
		Death	27 Jan 1845	Logan Co., Illinois
		Marr.	31 Aug 1831	To: DAVID ATTEBERRY
M	3 EPHRAIM GIBSON	Birth	24 Jan 1819	Tennessee
		Death	26 Jan 1891	Logan Co., Illinois
		Marr.		To: NANCY ATTEBERRY
M	4 JAMES RUSSEL	Birth	22 Jan 1821	Tennessee
		Death	16 Sep 1889	Logan Co., Illinois
		Marr.	3 Apr 1849	To: ELIZABETH HAUSER
F	5 ISABELLA	Birth	25 Mar 1824	Bedford Co., Tennessee
		Death	9 Nov 1895	Armington, Tazewell Co.Ill
		Marr.		To: OLIVER MASON
F	ELVA	Birth	9 Jan 1826	Bedford Co., Tennessee
		Death	5 Dec 1899	Logan Co., Illinois
		Marr.	7 Apr 1847	To: LABAN MONTGOMERY STROUD
M	7 JOHN THOMAS	Birth	10 Apr 1829	Sangamon Co., Illinois
		Death	27 Jan 1874	
		Marr.		To:
M	8 WILEY PERRY	Birth	12 Mar 1831	Logan Co. Illinois
		Death	21 Jul 1870	Logan Co. Illinois
		Marr.		To: LOUISA ATTEBERRY
	9	Birth		
		Death		
		Marr.		To:
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Ct. Rec., pg. 99, 7 Sept. 1725

JOHN ADDAMS, Wethersfield, Conn, 3 Jan. 1721
Sister: ELIZABETH
Ct. Rec. pg. 161

DANIEL ADDAMS of Simsbury, Conn., Will dated 29 July 1713, Inv. 23 Nov. 1713.
Wife: MARY
Ch: SAMUEL, DANIEL, BENJAMIN, JOSEPH, THOMAS, EPRAIM (age 14) and three unnamed daughters.

DANIEL ADDAMS JR. of Simmsbury, Conn., Will dated 9 Jan. 1712-3, Inv. 4 Feb. 1712.
Wife: THANKS
Ch: DANIEL (7), ABRAHAM (5), JAMES (1) THANKS (9) and HANNAH (3).

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EARLY CONNECTICUT PROBATE RECORDS, VOLUME III HARTFORD DISTRICT, 1729-1750. C. W. Manwaring, 1906.

ABRAHAM ADDAMS, wife ANN HEYDON, in articles of agreement in sharing estate of Samuel HEYDON, 29 Nov. 1742.

ESTHER ADAMS, Hartford, Conn., Died 30 Oct. 1732.

EDWARD ADDAMS of Middletown, Conn. 5 July 1743 probated. Inv. 11 June 1740.
Wife: MARY
Ch: LEAH (10), EDWARD (7), MARGARET (5) EBENEZER (3).

JOSEPH ADDAMS, Simsbury, Conn., died 26 Mar. 1741, Will dated 7 Dec. 1736.
Wife: MARY
Ch: JOSEPH, MATTHEW.

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Bible Records

FAMILY BIBLE OF WILLIAM R. ADAMS
Owned and submitted by Mrs. Kenneth Jacobs, 3709 Fox Hall Road, Columbia, S.C. 29204

WM. R. ADAMS born July 12, 1822*
EMILY C. ADAMS born Feb. 15, 1829
WILLIAM R. ADAMS born August 27, 1846
BRUCE ADAMS born November 1848
BESS A. ADAMS born October 1850
STEVEN ADAMS born May 1854
THOMAS DUERSON ADAMS born August 1855
MARTIN ADAMS born November 28, 1852
WILLIAM B. ADAMS born July 12, 1822*

ORAH WALLIS was married to THOMAS DUERSON ADAMS the 15th of September 1881.

WILLIAM R. ADAMS died April 11, 1866
EMILY C. ADAMS died July 5, 1858
ALICE ADAMS died February 28, 1886
LAURA ADAMS died August 22, 1893
BENJAMIN ADAMS died October 27, 1904
WILLIAM T. ADAMS died May 24, 1915
THOMAS DUERSON ADAMS died December 18, 1916

THOMAS DUERSON ADAMS journeyed to McKinney, Texas where he married ORAH WALLIS in 1881. In the Family Bible was the following news clipping, paper and date unknown:

"DIED
BENJAMIN M. ADAMS, who was stricken with paralysis about a week ago died at his residence, 618 S. Louisa St., Mr. Adams was a Rock Island employee."

[Who was he, where was he from, etc.,.?]

Mrs. Jacobs thinks: WILLIAM R. ADAMS may be WILLIAM ROWAN ADAMS, that ALICE ADAMS was a wife of WILLIAM T. ADAMS, and that STEVEN ADAMS was a doctor. Can you verify this?

Adams Family

Lineage of
Gladys Adams Thomasmeyer (DAC member)
p. 1

1 Gladys Adams
b 21 Jan. 1900
near
Chrisman, Ill.
res. Dana, Ind.
m. 14 Dec. 1924
to Earl Thomasmeyer

2 Harley E. Adams
b 11 Mar. 1877
m 8 Sept 1897
d Nov 3 1944
res Edgar Co., Ill.

3 Daisy E. Bush
b 9 July 1882

4 Lewis J. Adams
b 1848 -
m 10 Sept 1872
Switzerland Co. Ind.
d 1922

5 Lucretia Stewart

6 Thos. Frederick Adams
b 1824
m 27 Sept. 1847
Switzerland Co., Ind.
d. 1906

7 Lucy Cole

8 Thomas Adams
m. 1814 -
N. H.

9 Betsey (Elizabeth) Dolloff
b 24 Aug. 1785
q.v.

Sources:
1) Bible and cemetery Records
2) Court records, Switzerland Co., Ind.
3) Notarized statement enclosed with DAR papers (or DAC?)
4) Record from the office of the Register of Probate for the county of Kennebec, Augusta, Me.
5) Dolloff Genealogy - New Hampshire Soc. Library

(E. L. Hughes)

Lineage of
Gladys Adams Thomasmeyer

#1 on this sheet is same as
#9 on p. 1

4 John Dolloff

2 Josiah Dolloff
b 1775
d 1830
m 1780 N.H.

5 Mary Miles

1 Betsey (Elizabeth) Dolloff
b 8-/24-1785
m Thos. Adams

3 Jane Knox
b 1817
?

Ancestor's service - farmer and landowner

(E. L. Hughes)

Adams Family

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May 14, 1998

A copy of the marriage of Jackson Adams and Matilda White is enclosed. As you can see, it is not very informative.

I did manage to find information on Joel Jackson Adams in the Adams Connections and am sending copies. The Adams Connections was compiled by Ruby Cronk of Martinsville IL during the early 1980's. It consists of notebooks of family group sheets and photocopied records but unfortunately is not indexed. Ruby did have sources on which she based her conclusions but did not cite them, although she often included copies of them. Some information was given to her by other Adams descendants.

Ruby listed Joel Jackson Adams as a son of William Greer Adams Jr. and Elizabeth Mercer, a grandson of William Greer Adams Sr. and Mary Adams, a great-grandson of Samuel Adams and Anne Adams, and a great-great grandson of William Adams and Mary Walker. Note that it was Anne Adams who was the daughter of William and Mary (Walker) Adams. Ruby was never able to find whether the Samuel Adams Anne married was related in any way. Note also that Anne Adams had a brother Samuel Adams who married Anne Curry. Anne's son William G. Adams married Samuel's daughter Mary, his first cousin. The Adams family made a habit of marrying cousins and naming their children after their brothers and sisters. I don't know how Ruby ever straightened them all out. Things became even more confused when Samuel and Anne C.'s son William married Mary Woods, the daughter of Samuel's cousin Jane (McCown) Woods. As a result there were two Samuel and Anne Adams families and two William and Mary Adams families living in the same place at the same time. Samuel and Anne C. had several other children, including a daughter Margaret who married Robert Mitchell. Margaret died fairly young but left four children. The oldest, William D. Mitchell, lived to a ripe old age, had three wives and 17 children, the youngest of whom was my grandfather. The Adamses came to Parke and Vigo Counties as very early settlers and intermarried with the other pioneer families so there are many local descendants. No doubt you could get in touch with some of them by writing the genealogical query column in the local newspaper. The address is: Genealogy, Terre Haute Tribune-Star, P.O. Box 149, Terre Haute IN 47808.

Please send the library $1.70 for the enclosed copies and postage.

Nancy Sherrill
Genealogy Librarian

Adams Family

Bicentennial Feature . . .

The Smith Adams Family

Farm News of Vigo Co. Nov 1976

Joel Jackson and Matilda White Adams owned 260 acres of land in Nevins Township, Vigo County, Ind. They had 14 children. The twelfth child was Philmore (Fillmore), who was to become the father of Smith Adams, of whom we are writing.

Fillmore first married Addison Grindle in 1883 and she died when their child, John L., was 18 months old. When John L. was three, his father married Rosanna Compton, nearly 15 years old. They were blessed with 12 children, and our story concerns the eighth child, Smith, born Sept. 2, 1902. Smith still lives on 40 of the original acres purchased by his grandfather.

Fillmore and Rose lived with his mother until their first child, Oka, was eight months old. His mother divided her farm among her children, and on the tract of land received by Fillmore was a good stand of timber. He cut and hauled to a sawmill enough trees for the timber to build a two-room house.

History is always interesting, and it's hard to pick out of the Adams chronicle the most important parts for our article.

Rosanna, the child-bride, proved to be thrifty, capable, and energetic in spite of having several children and suffering frequent illnesses due to a gall bladder malfunction. One year she kept a diary-record of all the YEAST bread she baked: 2,009 loaves! Used 196 barrels flour, and made 800 pounds butter. The Adams family cultivated an orchard of cherry, peach, apple, and plum trees, and their pantry shelves usually held 50 gallons of each kind of fruit in Wintertime.

Rose made all of her family's clothing, bedclothes, towels, and carpets. Fillmore did some carpentry in Summer, along with his farming, and in Winter he worked in Mines #11 and #12, near Rosedale, Ind., for $1.25 a day!

Rosanna Adams died May 1, 1916, following gall bladder surgery. Fillmore managed to keep his family all together, with the help of the older ones in all areas of work.

Fillmore Adams died July 19, 1933, following surgery.

Smith Adams married Stella Stultz on June 2, 1923. They have two children. The son, James Edward, owns and farms land that

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The Adams family in 1923. Smith is second from left in back.

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The old house.